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Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 11:57 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Kenai

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Sent: Sun Sep 30 11:15:53 2007
Subject: RE: Kenai

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Governor,

We did in fact receive a letter requesting an investigation into the use of these funds, which we promptly began. Several attorneys from Department of Law were involved in the review. My understanding is that the review revealed no misconduct on the part of anyone at ADF&G, although I have not yet seen the final investigation report as it is still being reviewed by law. I am in the process of drafting a response to the September 14th letter. I will send the investigation report and the response as soon as they are finished, and I will PDF you a copy of the letter we received in a few minutes. I apologize for not bringing this matter to your personal attention sooner. Please let me know if I can provide any more information on this.

Cora

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To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: RE: Ear

Oh brother... I'm so sorry!

For the plumbing project the dishwashing and pantry areas will have demolition work to walls and ceilings in order to access the old pipes, etc... The House china and stemware needed to be packed up and stored by *professional movers*, to ensure that they'd be safe as the cabinets need to be removed. They should be in storage for about a month, then we'll have the moving van again.

I'm sorry that made the news; I can have them park in the back and they can carry boxes down a flight of stairs and out the back instead of just going out the front door. It's worth it, to avoid giving anyone more ammunition.

The thought crossed my mind, but I didn't think someone would be so *hard pressed* to include that in the ear. Did they not notice all the cars around the House? The Wolfson contractor van and other workers' vehicles from the window project, or the Simplex Grinell vehicle fixing the security cameras, or Silverbow Const. or Harri's Plumbing trucks parked outside working on the plumbing- nope, just the WWM van.

Major problems in this 95 year old House are being addressed and it's crazy that they're using the van as something to take a jab at you with.

Erika

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Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 8:29 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); ftb907@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: MatMaid

I'll follow-up, as I don't know status. Also, I have a message into Kristan to get add'l details on yesterday's mtg.

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To: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>; "ftb907@yahoo.com" <ftb907@yahoo.com>
Sent: 9/30/2007 7:14 AM
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Cora is working on this and a few names are filing in to review.

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Subject: Today sched Re: Yesterday

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Subject: Re: JNU/New York

J- i feel obligated to that coach to "coach" his team, as we already committed to it and it helped justify my trip back down to Juneau this week. I hate to back out unless there's absolutely no other way.

Is security going, if so -who?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Sep 2007 15:17:49

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Cooper, George F (DPS)" <george.cooper@alaska.gov>

Subject: JNU/New York

Governor -

Since we need to get you to New York on Sunday, 10.07. We need to get you back from Juneau on Saturday, 10.06 either the 7:20 a.m. - 9:06 a.m. flight or the 1:46 p.m. - 3:32 p.m. flights (both are none stops JNU/ANC). We can have the family tour the HUB Christian Center on Friday afternoon as this was a family invitation. We would not have you attend the football game that evening - you will be hosting dinner for them the night before.

Sunday - Northwest seems to be the best for pricing @ approx. \$577.10 w/taxes included. Early a.m. departure 9:00 a.m. thru MN arriving New York, LGA @ 10:55 p.m. 9Hr/55 min. duration (4 hour time difference from AK). New York, Monday, 10.08 - departure on Thursday, 10.11.07 @ 1:29 p.m. thru MN arriving ANC @ 8:09 p.m. 10hr/40 min. duration. Of course there are other flight time/options. These seem to be the best price with the shortest time durations.

Thursday, October 11 - Tentative for your calendar - ACES Hockey game for Breast Cancer

Awareness Month. Read Proclamation - give remarks and drop the puck. Ice will be colored pink for this game.

Friday, October 12 - Tentative for your calendar - Stop By: DHSS Leadership Team (requested by Comm. Jackson); Speech: Baxter Elementary School (resolving conflict creatively program). Meet with: Mead Treadwell re: Arctic Issues (before Arctic Summit Speech on 10.15). Two interviews set by Sharon L. Installation of New Rabbi - ANC. Pastor Appreciation Month @ Wasilla Bible Church 7:00 p.m. Thanks, Janice

Unknown

From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 10:21 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: MatMaid
Kris,

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted let me know and I'll give him a call.

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"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov> wrote:

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To: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)"; "ftb907@yahoo.com"
Sent: 9/30/2007 7:14 AM
Subject: MatMaid

Did Privileged get placed on bd? Fairbanks should be represented.

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From: Monegan, Walt C (DPS) [walt.monegan@alaska.gov]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 3:42 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Glass; John D (DPS)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Case unsolved
John will look into this Monday
-Walt.

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sun 9/30/2007 1:26 PM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Monegan, Walt C (DPS); Glass, John D (DPS)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Case unsolved

I'm here at Outdoor Show at Sullivan- Jerry Dickman, case #01-27579 says we haven't solved his Big Lake/Burma Rd break-in case and he wants his Evinrude motor back that was stolen and he says the guys who stole it is John Harold Scott. Jerry says he's going to take it back at gunpoint. I told him not to do that yet (it's been six and yrs) and that I promised I'd email you first and you'd help him. Jerry's #355-4474. He's standing right next to me - he knows I'm requesting assistance for him on this.

Thanks!

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Unknown

From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 10:19 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: MatMaid

This has not happened yet. Give me the green light and I can make happen first thing Monday, heck I can call him today.

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Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 8:41 PM
To: Notti, Emil R (CED)
Subject: Re:

Thanks so much Emil.

----- Original Message -----

From: Notti, Emil R (CED)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 20:39:01 2007
Subject:

I will talk to Leo and take immediate steps. Emil

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 8:28 PM
To: Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Ear

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It's pretty crazy. Thanks for putting up with it (the gossip-stuff) with us!

The gossip column reporter probably thinks we're always correcting her (well, we are), but I'll ask our Comm dept tell her what the van was there for.

I look forward to getting down there this week. Sounds like your boys are doing awesome. I still am betting on them to win it all this season.

See you soon.

----- Original Message -----

From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com' <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 18:48:19 2007
Subject: RE: Ear

Oh brother... I'm so sorry!

For the plumbing project the dishwashing and pantry areas will have demolition work to walls and ceilings in order to access the old pipes, etc... The House china and stemware needed to be packed up and stored by professional movers, to ensure that they'd be safe as the cabinets need to be removed. They should be in storage for about a month, then we'll have the moving van again.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Sun 9/30/2007 7:25 AM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

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Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 6:14 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Penney

Thank you.

----- Original Message -----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 17:46:32 2007
Subject: Penney

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To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Sent: Sun Sep 30 07:07:17 2007

Subject: Fw: Kenai

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From: Frank Bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 5:25 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Privileged or

Your rag-tag team's with ya!

-----Original Message-----

From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Sep 2007 17:25:45

To: ftb907@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Privileged or

In the meantime... I shall keep you two in many of these loops even though there's no "ask" of you from me. Just feels a lot better to know you guys know what's going on.

----- Original Message -----

From: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Sat Sep 29 17:11:29 2007

Subject: Re: Privileged or

For what its worth.... I'm hearing you. I will keep watching close for opportunities to help more.

F

-----Original Message-----

From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Sep 2007 16:17:50

To: ftb907@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Privileged or

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----- Original Message -----

From: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Sat Sep 29 15:31:00 2007

Subject: Re: Privileged or F

I really want to do absolutely everything I can to help push these things forward so you don't have to. I used to be afraid of getting fired, but what the hey I can always make latte's. Seriously tho, if there's any way you see for Kris or I to push forward on these items (and I'll watch as well)...don't hesitate to point me in the right direction if I don't pick up on it.

F

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From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Sep 2007 15:11:00

To: ftb907@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Privileged or Pe

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----- Original Message -----

From: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Sat Sep 29 15:06:50 2007

Subject: Re: Privilege

I thought this was decided on 11 days ago on a Tues. Sure will be great to see some change in Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Kris Perry

Sent: Sep 29, 2007 2:51 PM

Subject: Privileged or

How close are we to getting Privileged on board? Hopefully that will be taken care of this week.

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 3:14 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: JNU/New York

I thought that we were discussing the Juneau game - sorry about that. Janice

Sent using BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 13:19:23 2007
Subject: Re: JNU/New York

Sounds like Beth is already going, but I appreciate the offer
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 30 Sep 2007 13:15:46
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: JNU/New York

Governor - I assume either To

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: Crome, Cora J (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=CJCROME]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 12:04 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Kenai

Governor,

Attached is a copy of the letter we received requesting an investigation. As I mentioned, we are in the process of completing the investigation and drafting a response. I will keep you informed about this as we move ahead.

Cora

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 7:09 AM
To: Crome, Cora J (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Kenai

----- Original Message -----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Lloyd, Denby S (DFG)
Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 06:54:10 2007
Subject: Kenai

Im reading today's article, ADN, about Penney's earmark from Stevens - it says the governor received a letter Sept 14 questioning the funds. Was that me, or was some letter sent Sept 14 during prior administration?

Because i have not seen, nor heard about, any letter. In fact, except in passing when I heard Larry and Mike mention the ADN was on to another Stevens/Penney issue, I have never been informed nor privy to any info on this issue.

I feel I need to be informed of these issues that deal with the state and end up on the

front page of the newspaper. Please, if that letter was sent to me, allow me to see it. I would think I'd be asked about this issue, and we're lucky I wasn't already asked when a couple of reporters stopped me last week for Stevens' issues/comments.

KENAI AREA FISHERMAN'S COALITION

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Governor Sarah Palin
P.O. Box 110001
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September 14, 2007

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
JANUARY 2008

Dear Governor Palin,

The Kenai Area Fisherman's Coalition (KAFC) requests that your office and the Attorney General investigate the handling of federal funds transferred to the State of Alaska via an earmark to the Pacific Coast Salmon Recovery Funds (PCSRF) from Senator Ted Stevens.

The KAFC is an organization composed of scientists and concerned users of the Kenai Peninsula waters. KAFC membership includes biologists (retired State and Federal) which provide over 120 years of experience on the Kenai River and other Peninsula waters in all areas of research and management. We consider the KAFC to be a "Joe Fisherman" organization since we have no commercial interests.

The federal funds in question were provided to the State during the prior administration, however, after the transfer the Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G) allowed a private organization, the Kenai River Sport Fishing Association (KRSA), to decide how a significant portion of those monies should be spent on the Kenai River. ADF&G did this because Senator Stevens instructed ADF&G to divert the money to KRSA via informal conversations.

Sue Aspelund, special assistant to the Commissioner of ADF&G, sent the following in an email in response to a question from a concerned citizen about how the money was reallocated to KRSA for control on spending:

2004 and 2005 federal budget Conference Reports listing the Kenai and Russian River earmarks in Alaska's share of Pacific Coastal Salmon Recovery Funds (PCSRF) appropriated by Congress. You will see earmarks for the Kenai River and the Russian River. Additional

guidance provided us by Senator Stevens staff was that these earmarks were for the Kenai River Sportfishing Association's use at their discretion, consistent with the intended purposes of PCSRF.

It is obvious from this response and the written legislation that KRSA was not part of the original earmark but was given the authority to spend this money via a verbal agreement between the past Commissioner of ADF&G McKie Campbell, KRSA, and Senator Ted Stevens. We find this backdoor allocation of funds to KRSA to be unethical on the part of Senator Stevens and ADF&G.

There was no public process that allowed for debate on whether this was the proper way to handle millions of dollars designated for Kenai River fisheries and habitat research. In fact, ADF&G in our opinion is the best agency to decide the fate of these dollars, not KRSA. Instead, Commissioner Campbell said in repeated conversations with various members of the public that this money was earmarked in the legislation to KRSA. That was not true – KRSA is not mentioned in the legislation but was the benefactor of a behind the scene conversation with Senator Stevens office and ADF&G leadership.

In addition, subsequent meetings by KRSA on the spending of these monies did not include all user groups; a fact was made public in a number of letters to Senator Stevens's office, Governor Frank Murkowski, and KRSA by citizens of the Kenai Peninsula (some of these letters are attached for your review). These objections were dismissed or ignored. An open and transparent public process, something we support and know Governor that you feel the same by your actions and words, was not used in this case.

Recently, it has come to our attention that KRSA has recommended funding of two projects in 2007 that are, in our opinion, a direct conflict of interest and further erodes the public trust in how ADF&G is handling these funds. The basis for our concern is as follows:

1. S.P Cramer and Associates, a firm located outside Alaska, consults to KRSA on Board of Fish (BOF) regulatory proposals and has been active in promoting KRSA positions before the Board of Fisheries and during public meetings. S.P Cramer and Associates has worked for KRSA since at least 1999. They have attended numerous UCI regulatory meetings and have

served KRSA in a consultant capacity at those meetings. From our understanding they are still working for KRSA.

2. Two projects (45527 and 45528) funded by the PCSRF funds are being conducted by KRSA and S.P Cramer and Associates. Project 45527 deals with habitat and restoration evaluations and project 45528 is work on size selectivity issues for Kenai River Chinook salmon. Total value of these projects is over 68,000 dollars. These projects were awarded without competitive bidding and therefore did not allow Alaskan firms to participate.

3. Our conversations with planning meeting attendees indicate that these two projects may not have been discussed or agreed to by the parties or agencies in that meeting. Instead, these projects were added by KRSA after the meeting according to some reports. Again, this circumvents the public process and allows a special interest group to direct funds to their consultants and their organization without full disclosure or discussion.

4. KRSA has proposals before the BOF 2008 Upper Cook Inlet meeting that deal with the harvest of Chinook salmon in the Kenai River, including one that deals specifically with size selectivity of current fishing regulations. In addition, there are numerous public proposals to alter regulations for habitat concerns. KRSA will be taking positions on these proposals as well as their own proposals. Projects 45527 and 45528 are self-serving in that they deal with proposals before the Board of Fish submitted or commented on by KRSA.

5. The end date of these two studies is December 2007 which is just prior to the Board of Fish meeting and data for use in the regulatory meetings will be available to KRSA and S.P Cramer and Associates well before it is available to the public. Since they are conducting the studies they have immediate knowledge of results that the general public will not have.

6. KRSA and S.P Cramer and Associates have at a minimum the perception of not being objective relative to the study results given the regulatory proposals before the Board of Fisheries. Therefore, when these studies are presented or used in the Board of Fisheries process the public will not be able to separate KRSA's agenda from the study results.

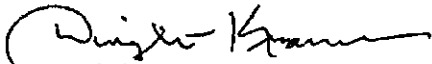
Therefore, at this time we believe a serious conflict of interest has taken place with the award of these studies to KRSA and S.P Cramer and

Associates. It is our opinion that KRSA should not have received the authorization to decide how to spend these funds in the beginning, has circumvented a full and open public process, and now is in conflict with using public funds to promote their stated agenda by directing studies by their consultants and themselves to specific proposals before the BOF.

We therefore respectfully request that you investigate the history of these funds, determine if ethical or illegal violations have taken place in the administration of these funds, and if so finding in the affirmative, terminate further relationships with KRSA and their consultants. In addition, we would further request that the BOF members be advised of your findings and that any testimony by KRSA on the subject of these two proposals be denied given they have a conflict with using public dollars to implement studies related to their own proposals.

Thank you for your time and we look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Respectfully Submitted,



Dwight Kramer – KAFC Acting Secretary
283-1054

cc: Hon. Talis J. Colberg, Attorney General, Dept. of Law
Hon. Denby Lloyd, Commissioner of ADF&G
Hon. Tom Irwin, Commissioner of DNR
Mike Nizich, Dep. Chief of Staff, Office of the Governor
Cora Crome, Office of the Governor
Tom Wagoner, Alaska State Senator
Mike Chenault, Alaska State House Representative

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 6:09 PM
To: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Fw: Privileged

Or Sarah

Palin!

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Sent: Mon Oct 01 18:06:41 2007
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To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 17:57:57 2007
Subject: RE: Privileged or f

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-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Mon 10/1/2007 11:55 AM

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Cc: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: Briefings for Senate Majority & Minority

Sounds good. Im noting for janice.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 18:02:35

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Subject: Briefings for Senate Majority & Minority

FYI

I have scheduled and confirmed ACES briefings for:

Senate Majority - 10.10.07 at 2:00 p.m.

Senate Minority - 10.11.07 at 8:30 a.m.

Both briefings will be held at the Atwood Bldg., gov's conf. room.

These were the dates that worked best for these groups considering all of the scheduling conflicts.

Russ Kelly

Legislative Office

Office of the Governor

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Subject: Re: ACES bill

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From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 17:40:16

To: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Mills, Andy J (GOV)" <andy.mills@alaska.gov>, "Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)" <lauren.yocom@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: ACES bill

FYI

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 5:39 PM

To: Bunde, Con (LAA); Cowdery, John (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Elton, Kim S (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Olson, Donny (LAA); Stedman, Bert K (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Buch, Bob (LAA); Chenault, Mike (LAA); Cissna, Sharon (LAA); Coghill, John (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA); Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA); Doogan, Mike (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA); Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Gara, Les (LAA); Gardner, Berta (LAA); Gatto, Carl (LAA); Gruenberg, Max F (LAA); Guttentberg, David (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Hawker, Mike (LAA); Holmes, Lindsey (LAA); Johansen, Kyle B (LAA); Johnson, Craig W (LAA); Joule, Reggie (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott Jw (LAA); Keller, Wes (LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R (LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Meyer, Kevin G (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Neuman, Mark A (LAA); Olson, Kurt E (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Roses, Bob (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Samuels, Ralph (LAA);

Seaton, Paul (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Bill (LAA); Wilson, Peggy A (LAA)

Subject: ACES bill

Dear Legislators,

Attached is the governor's legislation implementing her ACES plan.

While we don't anticipate proposing changes prior to special session, it is possible the bill formally introduced on the 18th may include changes particularly in response to feedback from the public in town hall meetings and/or legislative committee hearings conducted prior to the special session.

Additional materials will be forthcoming, including a sectional analysis and guide to the underlying policy behind the bill sections.

Russ Kelly

Legislative Office

Office of the Governor

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465-3147 fax

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 5:02 PM
To: Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Subject: Re: TEST: Press Release: Governor Responds to the Protect America's Wildlife Act

Got it and can read it. Thanks!

----- Original Message -----

From: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 16:58:49 2007
Subject: TEST: Press Release: Governor Responds to the Protect America's Wildlife Act

Governor,

I understand you're still not receiving press releases. The first thing I.T. wants to know is if you can see releases on your blackberry. Please let me know if you see the text below.

Thanks,

Lauren

Lauren Yocom

Communications Assistant

Office of Governor Sarah Palin <<http://state.ak.us/>>

Alaska State Capitol

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From: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)

Sent: Thursday, September 27, 2007 8:41 AM

To: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)

Subject: Press Release: Governor Responds to the Protect America's Wildlife Act

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

07-197

Governor Responds to the Protect America's Wildlife Act

September 26, 2007, Anchorage, Alaska - Governor Sarah Palin today criticized Congressman George Miller's (D-CA) legislation to eliminate an important element of wildlife management by the State of Alaska.

"Moose and caribou are important food for Alaskans, and Congressman Miller's bill threatens that food supply," said Governor Palin. "Congressman Miller doesn't understand rural Alaska, doesn't comprehend wildlife management in the North, and doesn't appreciate the Tenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution that gives states the right to manage their own affairs."

Miller's bill would ban the shooting of wolves from aircraft, a component of moose and caribou management plans in five specific areas of Alaska. Predation can keep populations of large game animals at persistently low levels, limiting or eliminating opportunities for Alaskans to secure wild game for food.

Governor Palin is in agreement with Alaska Congressman Don Young, who announced yesterday his opposition to Miller's bill, emphasizing that it is an affront to the sovereignty of American states guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution.

"This bill would be an unprecedented federal incursion into traditional State management of fish and resident wildlife," said Palin. "If the federal government can do this to Alaska today, it can do it to any other state tomorrow. The other states, particularly the western public land states, should join us in expressing their indignation."

Contrary to what Representative Miller said in Washington yesterday, there is no "aerial hunting" of wolves in Alaska, the Governor said. "Our science-driven and abundance-based predator management program involves volunteers who are permitted to use aircraft to kill some predators in specified areas of the state where we are trying to increase opportunities for Alaskans to put healthy food on their families' dinner tables. It is not hunting and we have never claimed that it is."

Governor Palin said she will contact several other members of Congress to encourage them not to support Congressman Miller's effort.

"It appears to me that the Congressman has been inadvertently drawn into service as a fundraiser for national animal rights organizations that commonly spread inaccurate information about Alaska's game management programs, and with which we are in court on these issues right now," said Palin.

Wildlife management policy in Alaska is set by the Alaska Board of Game, a public body appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Alaska State Legislature. The Board deliberates by weighing evidence at public meetings. Testimony comes from Alaska Department of Fish and Game scientists, non-governmental organizations, and private citizens. Governor Palin stressed today that wolf and bear populations are extremely healthy in this state, and that predator control is intended to create more opportunities for humans to harvest moose and caribou for food, while maintaining healthy populations of predators.

"Our goal is to always have healthy populations of all wildlife, including wolves," Palin said. "Alaska is the only state that still harbors a full complement of both large ungulates and large predators."

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:56 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:17 AM
To: JWWSavagepupil@aol.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Winberry:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 8:20 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Joseph Winberry

address: 1618 Lakeland Point High Point NC 27265
(336) 803-1537

MESSAGE:

Dear Madame Governor: I am a high school student attending High Point Christian Academy in High Point, North Carolina. I also happen to be a political thinker and a history buff who is a right-winger. I'd like to thank you for your efforts to reform Alaska's political system. The world needs more like you, Governor Palin. I wish you were North Carolina's governor! Keep up the good work. I don't know if you've noticed, but you have made quite a stir in the party grassroots. Many are calling for a Rudy-Sarah ticket 08! Wouldn't that be great?
rnrnrnAgain thanks and God bless,
rnrnrnJoseph Winberry

JWWSavagepupil@aol.com

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:54 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:32 AM
To: KMBrown@mbox.contact.bg
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Brown:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 4:50 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Keith W. Brown

address: 1225 Roosevelt Ave. Tracy CA 95376

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin, I wanted to thank you for being a moral person and the best example of a governor that I have heard of in my lifetime. I may be from California, & currently am an ex-pat American living & working in Stara Zagora, Bulgaria, but I have heard about you here. Thanks you SO much for cleaning up Alaskan government! I was afraid that there were no such thing anymore as an honest, decent & moral politician. Yet, you changed my thinking. Wistfully, I yearn for someone like you to clean up Californian government which is full of corrupt people standing in line at the public plate of pork for food. Also, in the future, it is our greatest wish that you would run for national office. You are the kind of good, decent republican we need. Frankly, I stand in wonder at how you have taken on the usual powers in Alaskan gov't. You, Gov. Palin, are a credit to Alaska and America. I am proud of you. Please keep up the good work. We just wi

sh that there were more politicians like you that actually do serve the people instead of try to rip them off.

KMBrown@mbox.contact.bg

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:53 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:40 AM
To: michael.e.markelionis@spiritaero.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Markelionis:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2007 5:32 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Michael Markelionis
address: 2232 W. 24th St. N. Wichita KS 67204
316-253-9885

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,rnrnI wanted to thank you for the letter you sent to Mr. Miller; I was stationed at Eielson AFB many years ago (1970's)and enjoyed my stay in Alaska. Looks like the state is in good hands! Keep up the good work!rnrnSincerely,rnrnMike MarkelionisrnrnWichita, KS

michael.e.markelionis@spiritaero.com

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:52 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:19 AM
To: Ernway@cox.net
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Bell:

Thank you, I will forward your email to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 5:34 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Glenn Bell

address: 2239 W. Butler Dr Chandler AZ 85224

480-221-6614

MESSAGE:

Dear Miss Palin, Governor,
It was with great interest I read the Ruffini opinion article on your performance prior to and after election to office in Alaska. There are far too few 'American Statesmen' in this day and age. I dearly hope that your future includes more service to the greater community, which makes up these United States. If your ambition or call to serve expands and includes Arizona please feel free to ask for my assistance. Respectfully, Glenn E. Bell, Sgt Ret. Bio: USAF 6yrs, Law Enforcement 24 yrs, Veterans Counselor- Military Order of the Purple Heart/American Legion. Currently employed: Superior Courts, State of Arizona, Maricopa County Security Services.
Respectfully,
Glenn E. Bell
Chandler, AZ

Ernway@cox.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 1:24 PM
To: jsprung@aerometric-ak.com
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 12:48 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. James Sprung

address: 8012 East 5th Avenue, Suite B Anchorage AK 99504

907.428.0552

MESSAGE:

October 1, 2007
Governor Sarah Palin
State of Alaska
James R. Sprung
8012 East 5th Avenue, Suite B Anchorage, Alaska 99504
Madam Governor:
I am one of the many Veterans that live in this great state of Alaska. I would like to take this opportunity to inform you about the excellent care I have received from the VA Puget Sound Health Care System located in Seattle, Washington. I recently had vascular surgery, September 25-27, and had stents put in two arteries that were blocked and had limited blood flow. I am now walking without pain and without the aid of a cane for the first time in several years. I received the best of care during my stay at the VA center in Seattle. If and when I need another surgical procedure I hope to come back to this VA Hospital and have it done because I know I would be in the best of hands. I would like to say thank-you to the doctors and nurses of the Peripheral Vascular Surgery team, Same Day Care Unit, travel and lodging coordinators,

and those many people whose faces I saw and names I forgot. Thanks for your support for our Veterans. Respectfully submitted
James R. Sprung
MSG, US Army, Retired

jsprung@aerometric-ak.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 12:47 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Campbell; Craig (MVA)
Subject: Re: Alaska Territorial Guard Day

I'll pass this along also

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 12:34:21

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: Alaska Territorial Guard Day

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Sean

----- Original Message -----

From: Pullins, Jay D (GOV)

To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Showalter, Kristine D (GOV)

Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:06:30 2007

Subject: Alaska Territorial Guard Day

Sean,

Just a reminder concerning Alaska Territorial Guard Day on October 18th and Bob Goodman. You will be in DC, but not sure about the Gov's plans.

J

Jay Pullins

Chief of Staff

Office of Lieutenant Governor Sean Parnell

(907)269-0326

jay.pullins@alaska.gov

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 12:34 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
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Subject: Re: Meeting Today

Thats fine. And hopefully these new mtgs will still lv time for other actionns that have to take place today.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 11:59:54

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Subject: Meeting Today

Governor,

Leo and Emil would like to meet with you this afternoon in follow-up to their meeting with Ron Miller. I can schedule this for 2:30 p.m. after your NEA meeting.

Also, Commissioner Galvin is available to meet with you this afternoon and walk through the ACES bill before they release. If you would like to do that, I can schedule it for 3pm or 3:30pm.

Kris

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 12:12 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Today

I would prefer just reading the proc. I am not prepared for a speech so will not deliver one. Sharon doesnt have to be there to give me the speech - i am just reading the proclamation that is already there

----- Original Message -----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 12:08:08 2007
Subject: RE: Today

Governor,

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Kris

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:01 AM
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)
Subject: RE: Today

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On either event the Lt. Governor is more than happy to accompany you or step down. Janice

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From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 6:22 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Fw: Privilege

It'll take a lot of toastmasters classes for me to ever speak that well....

"Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov> wrote:

Or Sarah
Palin!

----- Original Message -----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 18:06:41 2007
Subject: Re: Fw: Privilege

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"Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov> wrote:

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From: Stapleton, Meghan N (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 17:57:57 2007
Subject: RE: Privileged

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-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Mon 10/1/2007 11:55 AM
To: Stapleton, Meghan N (GOV)
Subject: Privilege

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:57 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Ear

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Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
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Reminds me of junior high, where hormonal teenagers are always looking for the drama and something/anything to talk about, but these are adults... needing to fill up lines in the Ear.

I'll do my best to avoid giving them any potential *news nuggets*; I'm open to any comments or suggestions.

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:28 AM
To: Wayne Anthony Ross; Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: follow-up

Thanks Wayne! I'm forwarding this to our scheduler.

Hope all is well with you and Barb.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: Wayne Anthony Ross <waralaska@alaska.com>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 10:13:34

To: "Palin, Sarah" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: follow-up

Sarah: Excellent letter! I hope you will accept the NRA's invitation to attend the Annual Members' Meeting next year. I know you will be well received and, in addition, would have a great time. WAR

From: Carol Bambery [mailto:CBambery@fishwildlife.org]

Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 7:40 AM

To: waralaska@alaska.com

Subject: follow-up

Hope you made it home ok and enjoyed South Carolina! Attached is the letter I mentioned your Governor wrote opposing the amendments to the Airborne Hunting Act. Excellent letter. I have also invited Governor Palin to join us at the NRA Firearm Seminar during our NRA annual meeting in Kentucky next year. Thanks for the idea. She will be a breath of fresh air! You should plan on joining us for lunch during the Law Seminar (Friday) and sit with her. We would love to have you join us. Best, Carol

M. Carol Bambery, Counsel

Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies

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Washington, D.C. 20001

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Unknown

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:03 AM
To: fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: Fw:

----- Original Message -----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
To: 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Anders, Bruce F (DNR); Rutherford, Martha K (DNR)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:51:02 2007
Subject: Re:

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----- Original Message -----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:45:59 2007
Subject: Re:

excellent.

would you like me to request a resume from Privileged?

also just got off the phone with Jeff Jessee. think we're finally getting somewhere on

MHTA.

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I sincerely appreciate your passion on this Emil. Thanks for moving forward.

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To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:23:42 2007

Subject:

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Regards, Emil Notti

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:01 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: RE: Today

Governor - The event today is sponsored by the Abused Women's Aid in Crisis (AWAIC) - Domestic Violence Awareness Month. You can sit onstage with the Lt. Governor and read the proclamation and then the Lt. Governor will say a few words. The proclamation is at the event and signed. I have pasted it into the body of this email.

The event on Thursday, October 4 is sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Club. This is also a Domestic Violence and Abuse to Women event. 11:00 a.m. at the Hilton Hotel Chart Room. The Lt. Governor was attending as you would possibly be in Juneau on that date.

On either event the Lt. Governor is more than happy to accompany you or step down. Janice

WHEREAS, domestic violence is a vicious cycle that disrupts communities, destroys relationships, and harms thousands of Alaskans each year. It comes in the form of physical, emotional, sexual, psychological, and economic abuse.

WHEREAS, domestic violence is not confined to any group or groups of people; it affects people of all ethnic backgrounds, economic levels, education levels, family structures, religions, and ages. It is a pervasive problem in every community in Alaska, large and small.

WHEREAS, the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's dignity and right to be safe from violence in their home. It violates the peace and health of communities as well as the laws of the State of Alaska. Domestic violence is not a private family matter - it is a crime.

WHEREAS, the existence of domestic violence in our homes transforms the home from a place that is meant to be loving and safe into a place of danger, despair, and fear. It diminishes the quality of life for every resident of Alaska.

WHEREAS, the effects of domestic violence on children are devastating and can cause lifelong problems due to emotional and/or physical trauma. These children are at a greater risk of being part of an abusive relationship as adults, thus continuing this cycle of abuse.

WHEREAS, beyond the suffering of victims, families, and communities, domestic violence also has financial costs. These include lost income and long-term productivity, medical care, law enforcement, legal and court expenses, social and emergency services, crime compensation, and problems in the school and workplace.

WHEREAS, as Alaskans, we must demonstrate with our words and our actions that domestic abuse will not be tolerated. As Alaskans, we must continue to build alliances among governments, community associations, businesses, education, and faith-based organizations that will strengthen our families, teach alternatives to violence, and hold the offenders accountable for their crimes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sarah Palin, Governor of the State of Alaska, do hereby proclaim October 2007 as:

Domestic Violence Awareness Month

in Alaska, and call on all Alaskans to become active in the fight to end domestic violence in all of its forms, and to assume the responsibility to make the message clear, both by word and deed, that domestic violence is unacceptable. Let us continue to mourn those victims who have died, celebrate those who have survived, and support and respect those who work to end violence.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:56 AM
To: Quirkstep@aol.com
Subject: RE: Natural_Resources

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 7:03 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Natural_Resources

Web mail from: Ms. Christine Biser
address: 10645 Bethel Rd. Frederick MD 21702
301-898-5876

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin and aides,rnrnAn email was forwarded to me from Defenders of Wildlife regarding your public relations initiative on aerial wolf hunts. I just had some questions about this, as the email from DOW did not explain a few things:rnrn1) It claims your PR action violates a Federal law disallowing aerial hunting. I am skeptical. Is this true? What is your side of that story?rnrn2) Is this an economic development initiative? I know many of Alaska's areas are quite remote, and it is not as easy to earn a cash-based living in these areas as it is for me in my suburban Maryland, near a virtual beehive of commercial trade. Who is benefitting from the aerial hunting operations? Are these small businesses, possibly even minority-owned? rnrn3) Is this an initiative to eradicate wolves in a particular area, or will they be managed for profit and (wolf) health? For example, once the number of wolves is brought down to a certain level, would the aerial hunting operations

now shift their focus, and arm their customers with binoculars, rather than shotguns? Just a thought. This very minor adjustment would really make the whole initiative a highly sustainable economic enterprise with great value for the conservationists among us. rnrnI do know that in Maryland, we really could use a lot of hunters. The whole state is overrun by deer. They are eating everything, endangered native wild plants along with suburban people's prized peonies. I believe that people sometimes don't have a realistic sense of "conservation." Marylanders fiercely protected Bambi from rifles and cross-bows, to the point where the deer herds currently stand at about 5 times the carrying capacity of the land we let them occupy. They naturally stray onto our roadways, where we hit them with our vehicles on a regular, dangerous, and expensive basis. rnrnIf your aides have time, I would appreciate hearing about the 3 questions I had, above. Thank you for reading my ema

il. rnrnSincerely,rnChristine Biser

Quirkstep@aol.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:55 AM
To: swampdonkey01@msn.com
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Mr. Ehlers:

Thank you for your email.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 9:28 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Mervin Ehlers

address: 4500 E. Pamela Dr. Wasilla AK 99654

907-373-6770

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin-rnrn I have never written a politician, let alone a governor, but right now I feel compelled to.rn I read your letter to Congressman Miller regarding his predator control comments. I truly appreciate your efforts, compassion and clarification of where we stand as Alaskans on this controversial issue, especially to "outsiders" who speculate/assume that they know whats best for our state. Thank you for having more "moxie" then any recent governor and be rest assured that you are favored by many because of it and are doing a great job. Thank you for not bowing to the advocacy groups with their pressures and special interests. We believe in you and we truly feel that you believe in all of us. rnrnSincerely,rnrnMerv Ehlers

swampdonkey01@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:54 AM
To: 66mustang@mtaonline.net
Subject: RE: Other

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Denny Hamann
address: 1200 Oat St Wasilla AK 99654
907-373-5938

MESSAGE:

Gov.Palin,rn Two months ago we had sent you and your family an invite to our Premier Alaskan Banquet with the Freinds of the NRA.This event will be held on Oct.19th at the Sheraton in Anchorage.I'm assuming since the Special session starts on the 18th and will be in Juneau that you will be unable to attend, but as of yet I haven't recieved a response either way.Please let me know as I have set aside a Table sponsored by Weld-Air in the event you may be able to attend.If you are not able please let Mr.Palin know we would be pleased if he would join us for a night of fun if his schedule allows. rn
Thank You,rn Denny Hamann/Chairrn State Committee FNRA

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Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:44:03 2007

Subject: RE:

Governor,

Tom, Marty and I will coordinate today. I have a thought on staffing, but it depends somewhat on what happens structurally. Could we have today to put our heads together, before an interim Privileged or Personal M is named? I recognize the need to have the transition from Privi to somebody else be quick and seamless, but it sure would be nice to make the change permanent.

Thanks,

Bruce

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:51 AM
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Web mail from: Paula Caywood
address: P.O. Box 774042 Eagle River AK 99577
907-694-8758

MESSAGE:

I am writing in response to the moose populations in 20A - the moose biologist there has been killing cow moose for the last 3 years. We have hunted in this area for 10 years. During our hunt this year we saw a dramatic decrease in moose populations in this area. On the Rex trail where we would normally see hundreds of moose tracks we saw only a half a dozen moose tracks. rnrnI truly believe that it is wrong to killing cow moose when we are doing aerial wolf hunts to increase the moose populations. It is an oxymoron to be doing both, plus it decreases our credibility when we defend Alaska's right to manage our game as we see fit to the special interest groups. I am asking that an emergency order to stop all cow moose hunts until this issue can be further studied.

cmmgen@mtaonline.net

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:21 AM
To: Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); ftb907@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Replacements confidential

Whatever you're most comfortable with. I apologize for assuming this was in the works many months ago. I thought Mike was working with you on finding a better solutions to the problems in Privileged or Personal Marena. Glad it will be taken care of by Wed anyway!

Also, where are you in plugging in Privileged or P? I'm cc-ing Kris and Frank on this because they've been cognizant of both Privil personnel issues and I believe they've also assumed both Privileged replacement and Privilege employment were being addressed quite awhile ago. Thanks Leo!

----- Original Message -----

From: Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:10:11 2007
Subject: RE: Replacements confidential

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Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 11:09 AM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Notti, Emil R (CED); Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)
Subject: Re: Replacements confidential

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From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sat Sep 29 10:53:45 2007
Subject: RE: Replacements confidential

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From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>
To: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>
Cc: "Notti, Emil R (CED)" <emil.notti@alaska.gov>; "Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)" <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>
Sent: 9/29/2007 10:24 AM
Subject: Replacements confidential

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Thanks

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:14 AM
To: nanlowe@hotmail.com
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 9:41 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Danny Lowe
address: 6860 Omalley Rd. Anchorage AK 99507
907-227-5327

MESSAGE:

Dear Govenor Palin,rnrnI would like to thank you in advance for your continued support on the predator control program in Alaska. We flew to our cabin last week, it is located in game management unit 16B. During the flight we counted two grizzly bears and three black bears. No moose or caribou the entire trip. We have been very active in trying to help reduce the predator population, as moose and caribou are the mainstay of our food supply. We choose to eat wild game, do to the healthy aspects, not because we have to. To make a long story short, good job on the quick reply to George Miller of California and thank you for standing up for the citizens of Alaska. Govenor Palin we stand behind you 110% and always will, keep up the good work and tell California they can manage our wolves when we can manage their mountain lions! THANK YOU SARAH!rnrnSincerely, Danny Lowe

nanlowe@hotmail.com

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:52 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Today

J or Kris - would u have someone track down the location of my 1:00 DV proclamation speech?

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:18 AM
To: Chuck Bickley
Subject: RE: Wolf and Bear Control- GMU-13

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-----Original Message-----

From: Chuck Bickley [mailto:sassyl@mtaonline.net]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 6:40 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Wolf and Bear Control- GMU-13

Dear Governor Palin:

I see where many so called wildlife experts are suggesting that current predator programs do not follow good biology practices.

I have had property at Swede Lake, off of Mile 16 Denali Highway, since 1978 and have hunted moose most of the years since then. The number of moose that I see while hunting have been greatly reduced over those years.

During the early years of my hunting there it was not unreasonable to see 20 or so cows, in a day, with current year or former year calves. This year I saw very few cows with prior year calves and only 4 or 5 current year calves. This was the experience of 4 hunters for 19 days and 2 others in camp at various times.

This has been our experience for the past 6 years or so.

We saw fewer bears and wolves this year and I believe the extra predator control is starting to have an effect on predators and hopefully it is not too late for the moose to make a comeback.

I urge you to continue to allow the current predator control methods to be used. The State of Alaska needs to manage all wildlife

for sustained yield and not for viewing purposes.

Thank you for your consideration of my comments.

Sincerely, Chuck Bickley Wasilla, Ak

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:14 AM
To: 66mustang@mtaonline.net
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

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-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 10:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Denny Hamann
address: 1200 Oat St. Wasilla AK 99654
907-373-5938

MESSAGE:

Gov.Palin,rn Thank you for standing up and beeing pro-active in regardsrnto our on-going predator control programs.The Mat-Valley residents appreciate your committment towards these efforts.rn Denny Hamann/Chair rn Mat-Valley Fish&Game Advisory Committee

66mustang@mtaonline.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 7:27 AM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Katz; John W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Shell incident

Shoot - that's horrible. Thanks for the head's up - we no doubt will know him, or someone who knows him.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 07:22:22

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>, "Katz, John W (GOV)" <jwkatz@alaskadc.org>

Subject: Shell incident

Gov,

I just received a call from Cam Toohey at Shell regarding an incident that occurred over the weekend. It resulted in the death of a subcontractor's employee, Kirk Shivley of Wasilla.

The incident occurred on the Kulliq drill ship that's in Canada right now.

I believe that the DC shop for Shell is going to be speaking with Katz about it, too.

Joe

Unknown

From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:31 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re:

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"Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov> wrote:

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No big deal, but I didn't know we were behind, according to him.

----- Original Message -----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Anders, Bruce F (DNR); Rutherford, Martha K (DNR)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:59:56 2007
Subject: Re:

Sounds good. Great to know about Emil.

Don't mind Jeff questioning me, just hate for anything to reflect on you. His process is unique. Just so you know timeline that we discussed this morning:

His nominating committee convenes Oct 11th, they set up strategy for accepting ads which will run through end of Oct. They'll interview candidates (include the ones we have and will give them) and be ready to get with us early December. We can appoint prior to session. He has **Privile**'s name.

F

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From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:45:59 2007
Subject: Re:

excellent.

would you like me to request a resume from **Privilege?**

also just got off the phone with Jeff Jessee. think we're finally getting somewhere on MHTA.

F

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"Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov> wrote:

Make sure Mike's in the loop, but feel free to email me directly any time. Thank you very much for the meeting on Friday. I'm so glad to hear we're all on the same page there in recognizing it's long overdue to change some structure and bring in new energy to address the huge energy needs in Alaska.

Bruce Anders and Marty Rutherford are also working on a plan to address comprehensive energy needs throughout AK. I'm ccing them so they're in the loop also.

I'll be out of pocket for a few hours as I do two speeches in the Valley, then Anchorage, but feel free to email and I'll get back to you as soon as I can.

Thanks for helping on this. I'll cc Mike also so you two can communicate on this.

I sincerely appreciate your passion on this Email. Thanks for moving forward.

----- Original Message -----

From: Notti, Emil R (CED)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Mon Oct 01 09:23:42 2007

Subject:

Governor;

Leo and I have a meeting with Privileged at 10:00 am today. We will inform him at that time. Do you have anyone in mind for a replacement? If not we could name an acting Privileged or Pe Is it ok that I email you directly or would you rather I go through the COS.

Regards, Emil Notti

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Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:11 AM
To: Leschper, Beth (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: remarks for USPS Oct. 1

is there a contact # for today's DVAM proclamation? I'll head there after stamp speech and voting in the local election... just need to know where it's held and I can call the folks in charge if I get a #

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor – The photographer of the stamp, Fred Hirschman from Wasilla will also be attending the event. They are very excited that you are attending and will put you in the top 15 minutes of the program as I have confirmed with them that you have approximately 30 minutes to attend.

Monday, October 1 @ 1:00 – 1:30 p.m. Domestic Violence Awareness Month (DMVA) Opening Ceremonies - we have issued a Proclamation for them as they requested regarding victims of domestic violence. They would love you to do a stop by if it fits into your schedule in ANC. I have listed this on your calendar on Monday, 10.01.07 @ 1:00 p.m. as a Stop By if you so choose.

On the other note: Anchorage Woman's Club Open Meeting on October 4 @ 11:30 a.m.. Invitation was for you to speak regarding domestic violence and abuse to women. Request sent from Kandy Kizis, President of Anchorage Women's Club. This was regretted due to the chance that you would be attending an event in Juneau on Thursday. They were notified on Sept. 25 directly by phone that you would be unavailable. I have confirmation that the Lt. Governor will be attending the event. Sean said that if you wanted to attend he would step aside. I have a call into Kandy regarding the newspaper piece. Thanks, Janice

From: Leschper, Beth (GOV)
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 1:45 PM
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: remarks for USPS Oct. 1

Beth Leschper
Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Governor
State of Alaska
907-465-3443
907-723-1321

Aurora Borealis Stamp Release Monday, Oct. 1

It's an honor to help celebrate today's release of the
Aurora Borealis single stamp from the Polar Lights

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collection. Thank you all – especially Kathy Loera and Kathy Phillips – for inviting me to join you!

We are so blessed to live in this incredible state where we get to see the Northern Lights in real life – not just on a stamp!

But I'm delighted to see that Aurora Borealis, a phenomenon so closely tied to Alaska, is on a stamp that celebrates the tradition of this International Polar Year 2007-2008.

This is the fourth time over the past 125 years that scientists from around the world are banding together to organize scientific and exploration programs concentrated in the Polar Regions.

Each polar year has been a hallmark of international cooperation in science achievement – from the first polar year in 1882 that included research at Point Barrow – to the 1932 research that established 40 permanent Arctic research stations – to the 1957 research that confirmed continental drift and discovered the Van Allen Radiation Belt encircling the Earth.

This Aurora Borealis single stamp was part of the International Polar Year souvenir sheet issued jointly on Feb. 21 by eight countries: the United States, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Greenland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden.

It's also an honor to recognize our postal workers here with us and throughout Alaska. You continue the tradition established when John H. Kinkead (kin-kade) was named the first postmaster general of Alaska – at Sitka in 1867.

The words on the front of the U.S. Postal Service building in New York pretty much describe delivering mail in Alaska – "Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

Congratulations on the issue of this single stamp – and for the hard work that you do every day in our challenging environment!

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:24 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Notti; Emil R (CED); Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)
Subject: Re: Follow-up

Thanks so much Kris. This is excellent progress.

Thank you, also, Leo and Emil. I know we're doing the right thing here to finally get going on putting together a comprehensive energy plan for Alaska.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry
To: Emil Notti
To: Leo Von Scheben
Sent: Oct 1, 2007 8:10 PM
Subject: Follow-up

In follow-up to this afternoon's meeting:

I spoke to Mike Tibbles and he will be talking with personnel. I will be sure to follow-up in the morning.

Secondly, I verified - as suspected - that the claims regarding Jim Palin are false. He was asked by Jim Strandberg, Project Manager w/AEA, to serve on an advisory committee. The committee doesn't sound as though it is even finalized as they have not even met yet and the members haven't been solidified. Further, I verified that Jim Palin is not consulting for anyone.

Needless to say, it is unfortunate that these false claims were even brought up in the first place.

Thank you for taking care of this and I'll be sure to follow-up with each of you tomorrow on the documentation.

Kris

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

Unknown

From: Frank Bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 7:08 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Knight

Ironie...! I heard it and have left a voicemail telling I heard the heart warming news spot...asked him to call. He spoke with Dan earlier and expressed interest on a Board dealing with disabilities and housing....we'll tie that up before anything goes out.

F

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
To: ftb907@yahoo.com
Sent: Oct 1, 2007 7:00 PM
Subject: Knight

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 7:06 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fw: The two employees on the frontline of the white powder scare Friday

I'll try to run over there and say hi to the gals tomorrow. Dont let me forget.

Also, Kris, do u know how early we can vote locally tomorrow? J could you add that to the sched: municipal election

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 15:01:06

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: The two employees on the frontline of the white powder scare Friday

Dear Governor Palin,

I know you are very busy, if possible I would request that you perhaps could write or call the two receptionists who opened the threatening mail and were quarantined separately from everyone else on Friday. They are both young and good natured. They have to deal with a lot of unpleasant mail and people. They absorb the brunt of what is intended for me and other attorneys in the building. A word from the Governor would undoubtedly be a thrill. Talis

Candace Seils (actually opened the envelope that puffed into her face)

4462 Reka Drive

Anchorage, Alaska 99508 work phone 269-5100

Kristina Oldfield (sits next to Candace)

11720 Business Blvd., #C301

Eagle River, Alaska 99577 (work) 269-5132

Thanks Talis

Unknown

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 7:00 PM
To: ftb907@yahoo.com
Subject: Knight

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:23 AM
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Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Today

Governor - The 11:00 a.m. USPS event is located at: Station 61 - 101 W. Swanson Avenue in the Central Public Safety Building.

The 1:00 p.m. Domestic Violence Awareness Event (DVAM) is located at: Assembly Chambers, Loussac Library, 3600 Denali Street. This was put on your calendar as an FYI - the Lt. Governor is going and reading the Proclamation. Janice

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Mike

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To: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>
Cc: "Notti, Emil R (CED)" <emil.notti@alaska.gov>; "Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)" <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>
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Subject: RE: Replacements confidential

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Thanks

Unknown

From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 10:31 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: Good job today!

You did a good job today for having to walk into that DV ceremony and read a set of comments cold. I'm really glad you were able to make it. I think your presence in this arena can make a difference.

Later in the day, I met with the president of the Alaska Christian College in Soldotna. He's got about 42 Alaska Native Students from about thirty villages, I believe. He took an anonymous survey among the young women who are part of the school and found that 100% claimed on their survey to have been a victim of domestic violence or sexual assault in their Bush homes. As part of their course of Biblical studies they also get one year of Christian counseling at the school. On the brighter side, he identified five or six villages where some light and hope are shining—Hooper Bay, Scammon Bay, Noatak, Unalakleet, Kiana, to name a few.

I'll be in Juneau on Tuesday and part of Wednesday. If you need anything, please let me know.

Sean

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:47 AM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rural/Native

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 3:17 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Rural/Native

Web mail from: Mr. Joseph Davis
address: 1220 E 16th Ave, Unit 13 Anchorage AK 99501
907 250 5561

MESSAGE:

Sept. 30th, 2007
Dear Governor Palin,
Good news! I just received an email from William in Hooper Bay about Piercy in Chefornek! His Yup'ik humor mask on Conan O'Brien is being auctioned on eBay and is up to \$15,669.00. KTUU has a story on this on it's web site. This is very big! It is the cream of the local grassroots using eBay for maximum empowerment!
For four years I have been giving workshops commercially empowering people in rural villages to not just earn on eBay, but to earn more! I would very much like to tell you about these workshops. Currently there is no funding for any more and we are just reaching the tipping point. I encourage you to take a deeper look at this grass roots movement and empowerment. I am eager to show you just a few slides, discuss the 20+ villages I have given workshops in recently, and the 46 villages I work with for just this.
Please, 20 minutes is all I ask.
Thank you,
Joseph Davis
watermark@acsalaska.net
907.250.5561

watermark@acsalaska.net

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:54 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:32 AM
To: KMBrown@mbox.contact.bg
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Brown:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 4:50 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Keith W. Brown

address: 1225 Roosevelt Ave. Tracy CA 95376

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,rnrnI wanted to thank you for being a moral person and the best exam

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:53 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:40 AM
To: michael.e.markelionis@spiritaero.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Markelionis:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2007 5:32 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Michael Markelionis
address: 2232 W. 24th St. N. Wichita KS 67204
316-253-9885

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,rnrnI wanted to thank you for the

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Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:52 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:19 AM
To: Ernway@cox.net
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Bell:

Thank you, I will forward your email to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 5:34 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Glenn Bell

address: 2239 W. Butler Dr Chandler AZ 85224

480-221-6614

MESSAGE:

Dear Miss Palin, Governor, rnIt was with great interest I read the Ruffini opinion article on

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:56 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 8:17 AM
To: JWWSavagepupil@aol.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Winberry:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 8:20 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Joseph Winberry

address: 1618 Lakeland Point High Point NC 27265
(336) 803-1537

MESSAGE:

Dear Madame Governor: I am a high school student attending High

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 5:36 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Friday, Oct. 12th opportunity

Governor - This meeting is listed on my tentative calendar for you. Janice

From: Jackson, Karleen K (HSS)
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 2:02 PM
To: ExternalEmailgsp
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Friday, Oct. 12th opportunity

Governor -

I'm "gate-crashing" as suggested to let you know that Friday, Oct. 12th is my DHSS leadership team retreat - the first under our realigned organizational structure (which you can find at: <http://www.hss.state.ak.us/commissioner/pdf/DHSSrealignchart.pdf>).

A 5 minute drop-in by you on Friday the 12th

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [kris.perry@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:40 PM

To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); ftb907@yahoo.com; Galvin; Patrick S (DOR)

Subject: RE: Wheres Pat? Im on the air

Sharon just spoke to him. He is in the parking lot, on his way up.

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:35 PM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)

Subject: Wheres Pat? Im on the air

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:11 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: WICHE Mental Health Report October 2007

From: Candice Tate [mailto:ctate@wiche.edu]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 3:29 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: WICHE Mental Health Report October 2007

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<h1>**InFocus: Telemental Health**
Mental Health Care from a Distance

Telehealth is the delivery of health related services and information via telecommunications technologies. It may be as simple as two health professionals discussing a case over the telephone, or as sophisticated as using satellite technology to broadcast a video consultation between providers in remote locations. Telehealth is much broader than telemedicine, and in addition to direct services, encompasses administrative and support services.

Telemental Health is the use of telehealth to provide mental health services, especially to those in remote locations with shortages of service providers. Telemental health is useful for therapy and direct services including, medication management, psychiatric consultations, and psychiatric referrals. In addition to clinical work, telemental health can be used for case management, continuing education, consultation, and professional peer support.

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In a healthcare environment that is technology-oriented, providers and patients are recognizing the benefits of telemental health services. Technology has the potential to decrease the gap in services by increasing education, support, and connectedness between the client and the provider. Healthcare providers are leveraging the power of video networks to link patients, specialists, and clinicians, thus extending the reach of specialized healthcare to rural regions. Due to the use of telemental health, rural patients experience lower out-of-pocket costs, less travel and shorter wait times.

Despite this glowing vision of the future, the majority of facilities that list mental health as an area of service delivery in addition to general medical services do not have a formal link to their associated systems of mental health care. Frequently, hospital and primary care networks organize mental health projects around existing medical services that may lack strong collaborative traditions with the mental health systems of care.

Telemental Health Issues

Despite the potential value of telemedicine technology, there are barriers to the successful integration of these advances from an administrative perspective, which can include technology costs, professional issues, and legal and confidentiality issues. Furthermore, census data indicate that Americans' access to usage of the internet varies greatly depending on socioeconomic level. Lower income urban residents are more than two times as likely to have internet access as those in rural areas at the same lower income levels.

Professional issues can include reframing the doctor-patient relationship and licensure, mobility, and reciprocity for healthcare disciplines. The Telehealth Improvement Act of 1999 and the Comprehensive Telehealth Act of 1999 created a Joint Working Group charged with compiling data on the number of health care providers performing telehealth services across state lines and tracking efforts to develop uniform national sets of standards for telehealth licensure. A provision of these Acts is that if states are not making progress in facilitating telehealth services across state lines by eliminating unnecessary requirements and adopting reciprocal licensing arrangements for such services, then the secretary of Health and Human Services should make recommendations concerning the scope and nature of Federal actions required to assist telehealth services.

Advantages and Disadvantages

The obvious advantages taken from the above section are the increased access to professional, anonymous care. Another major advantage is the cost savings to service providers, given the reduction in travel expenses for clients. Clients also have increased access to immediate care when needed with reduced disruption to their jobs or home life.

There are a number of challenges to working with the system. Potentially not having a workforce dedicated to working on the videoconferencing system could be one of the larger issues. It can be frustrating to have the professionals and the clients ready, but not have the technical staff time available to operate the system. This lack of dedicated technical assistance can lead to scheduling challenges, if both the behavioral and the medical systems share the telehealth system. While a system may have a myriad of connection sites, it is also a finite system with bandwidth limitations. Overuse of the system at peak hours can lower the reception and quality of the screen. The technology is constantly changing for the better; however, this leads to outdated technology needing upgrades, which can involve significant amounts of money. Confidentiality can be another issue that professionals will need to address at each end of the system and in transit. The live video data transported through the internet are subject to HIPPA regulations. This prevents the use of inexpensive store-bought webcam systems, which are unencrypted and therefore susceptible to hackers. Finally, providers could encounter a number of possible client issues. Not everyone will be willing to use this new technology due to unfamiliarity with the system, though we presume that children are more likely to be open to the technology than older

adults.

Empirical Support

Despite promising preliminary research, telemental health is not an established evidence-based practice. The National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) and the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) are currently conducting research to establish the preliminary data needed to formally label telehealth as an EBP. There is little data on telehealth mental health care performance beyond consumer satisfaction surveys and process measures. Proponents have held forth telehealth mental health care as a significant tool in improving the chronic lack of access to mental health services among rural populations. However, there simply are not enough data available to measure the ability of such telemental health strategies to enhance access and affect behavioral outcomes.

This is an area where rural service providers could prove invaluable. Developing a systematic way to gather information from rural providers who have already successfully implemented telemental health into their services and assist them in gathering the rigorous data needed to develop them into an EBP will be an invaluable resource.

Telehealth Resources

[Telemedicine Information Exchange](#)

[The Association of Telehealth Service Providers](#)

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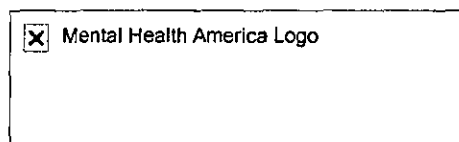
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Mental Health America News Release **September 19, 2007**

Senate Passes "Mental Health Parity"

Mental Health America commends Senators for moving to end insurance discrimination and calls on the House to now pass S.558

Contact: Heather Cobb, (703) 797-2588 or hcobb@mentalhealthamerica.net

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (September 19, 2007)—Mental Health America commends the United States Senate for passing critical legislation to end mental health insurance discrimination, and its sponsors, Senators Pete Domenici (R-N.M.), Michael B. Enzi (R-Wyo.) and Edward Kennedy (D-Mass.) for their leadership. The bill – S. 558, the Mental Health Parity Act of 2007 – will ensure that Americans with employer-sponsored health insurance and their families receive mental health care coverage at the same level as coverage for general health problems.

"The support of this legislation is overwhelming as it should be," said David Shern, president and CEO of Mental Health America. "The science is clear. Tomes of research demonstrate the interconnectivity of mental and general health. Public policy is finally catching up with science through passage of this important legislation."

S. 558 has a wide range of supporters that, for the first time, includes business and insurance leaders, as well as mental health advocates. For details on the legislation and more information, go to www.equitycampaign.net.

"With passage earlier this summer of legislation that would provide parity in mental health coverage under both Medicare and the State Children's Mental Health Program, Congress has a historic opportunity this year to end discrimination against people with mental health disorders in both private plans and federal health program," said Shern. "As we celebrate this first step, we urge House and Senate leaders to make history."

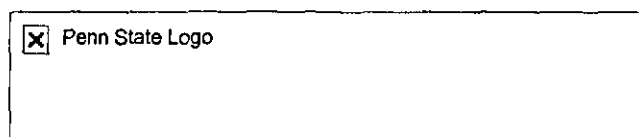
Mental Health America and its national network of affiliates now looks to members of the House to pass S. 558 and make history.

Mental Health America is the country's leading nonprofit dedicated to helping all people live mentally healthier lives. With our more than 320 affiliates nationwide, we represent a growing movement of Americans who promote mental wellness for the health and well-being of the nation—everyday and in times of crisis. For more information, visit www.mentalhealthamerica.net.

Job Opportunities

Recent Job Announcements Webpage

On this page you will find recent job announcements pertaining to either the WICHE West or to rural mental health areas.



The Department of Psychiatry at the Milton S. Hershey Penn State College of Medicine announces a PSYCHIATRY POSITION

We are currently recruiting a full-time BC/BE psychiatrist who will be presented with the wonderful opportunity to split their time between clinical services and dedicated research time. This position is a joint effort between the Tioga County Department of Human Services, a progressive rural mental health center, and The Department of Psychiatry, Penn State College of Medicine.

The clinical responsibilities incorporate many facets of treatment to include assessment, consultation, supervision of staff, and treatment. The consumers cut represent the age spectrum and the expectation is that the psychiatrist be able to work with children and adults. The Tioga County Human Services Agency is located in lovely north central Penn. surrounded by a myriad of recreational opportunities. The agency has gained national recognition for its fully integrated programming that tie into a single setting all of the critical services mental health consumers require.

The Penn State College of Medicine's Department of Psychiatry is a well established program with the full scope of clinical practice available. Additionally, there are child and adult residency programs and several post doctoral opportunities. The Department has an ever expanding research portfolio which enjoys an international reputation in several areas to include, anxiety, stress, trauma, and sleep medicine.

The Department of Psychiatry is excited about the prospects of this partnership with rural mental health. This venture should allow for cutting edge research in the area of rural mental health. The psychiatrist will hold the rank of Assistant/Associate Professor within the Department of Psychiatry, depending upon experience. The Department's Division of Research will offer full research support.

The Penn. legislature has provided funding for this dual position and it is the goal that this partnership will become a model for rural Penn. as well as a national model. This will then be a highly visible position with the potential for great professional growth.

Again, this position will be split between the Medical College and Tioga County. The Medical College is in lovely Hershey, Penn. and Tioga County is an outdoors lover's paradise. There will be flexibility in the scheduling to allow for maximum clinical and research efforts.

The Department of Psychiatry at the Milton S. Hershey Penn State College of Medicine is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity and the diversity of its workforce.

For more information please contact William Milchak at: wpm2@psu.edu or phone at: (717) 531-7279.

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Refer to position # 19091.

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Chief, Mental Health Services
Position Number RH33
Location: Olympia, Washington
Division: Mental Health Division
Salary: \$69,500 –\$78,340
Closing Date: October 15,2007

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:

This position is responsible for working closely with the Assistant Director of the Mental Health Division (MHD) in managing the state public mental health system. This position oversees program and services implementation, development, and monitoring of a wide array of community mental health outpatient and inpatient services. Duties include program development, oversight, implementing legislative initiatives, developing request legislation; analysis of legislation; adherence to federal requirements and lawsuits; RFP/Q and contract development; technical assistance to providers; contract monitoring; and reporting to the legislature.

Number of employees in the Unit: 16 currently but subject to increase.

Submit all materials by October 15, 2007 to:

PughKM@dshs.wa.gov

(Please indicate in the subject line: Chief, Mental Health Services)

OR

Kathi Pugh
Mental Health Division
PO Box 45320
Olympia, Washington 98504-5320

WICHE MH Personnel

Dennis Mohatt, MA, *Mental Health Program Director*
Mimi McFaul, Psy.D., *Associate Director*
Chuck McGee, MA, *Project Director*
Scott Adams, Psy.D., *Senior Research Associate*
Candice Tate, Ph.D., *Research Associate*
Fran Dong, *Statistical Analyst*
Jenny Shaw, *Administrative & Project Coordinator*

Tell Us How the WICHE Mental Health Program Has Impacted You

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The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education is seeking your comments on how our services have affected mental health services in rural communities. Please send an e-mail telling how WICHE has influenced you to ctate@wiche.edu. We would also love to hear your nominations for promising rural practices. Feel free to also contact us with requests for state-specific rural assistance or to just ask us a question about our experience with rural mental issues and public policy.

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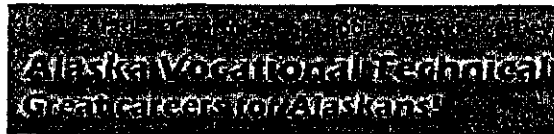
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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:07 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: October e-newsletter

From: Linda Carpenter [mailto:linda.carpenter@avtec.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:03 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: October e-newsletter

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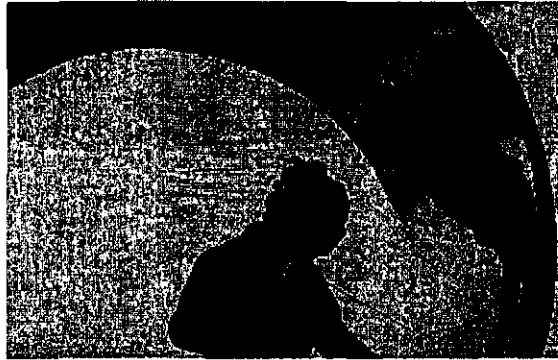
Send Mr. Esposito an e-mail,
fred.esposito@avtec.edu

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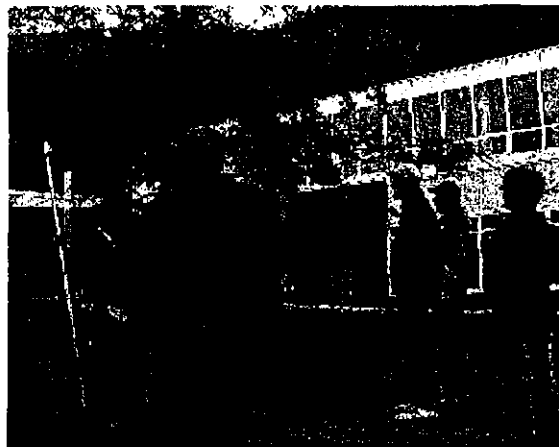
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The addition of a new pipe shop is almost complete. Beginning in November, Alaska Vocational Technical Center's (AVTEC) Pipe Welding training will be capable of graduating 30 students a year, an increase of 26 students. The refitting/remodeling for AVTEC's new Pipe Welding program has been a lengthy but rewarding process. New equipment was installed as part of the remodel and a grinding room is to be added by AVTEC's very own Facility Maintenance Construction Trades class.

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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:30 PM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: 2007 Universal Membership Celebration - Worldwide

From: Chief Executives Organization [mailto:ceoheadquarters@ceo.org]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 1:30 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: 2007 Universal Membership Celebration - Worldwide



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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:50 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Bball

Hey janice this is willow, can yiu scheduel my mom for my basektball game on thursday at 2:30? Thabks. See you this weekend!

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 7:27 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: :)

You're awesome.

And I hope you made it home in time to vote (for CHANGE)!

And I hate hills.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 7:22 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Meeting Request

Great thank you!

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Date: Tue, 02 Oct 2007 18:18:47

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Meeting Request

This is an all day meeting from 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and then again from 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. This is all the ANC/Mat-Su Employees for DMV, most are entry-level. Anytime for you to stop would be great -

Marriott Hotel is located 2 Buildings away from the Atwood Building @ 820 W. 7th Avenue. The Seminar will be located on the second floor - signs will be posted.

I have listed as an FYI, Stop by only. Thanks, Janice

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 6:00 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Subject: Re: Meeting Request

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What time do they start and where's the Marriott?

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From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 02 Oct 2007 17:57:29

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 6:14 PM
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Privileged or [REDACTED]

Sorry I missed this one over the weekend. When I met with Leo on Friday, we talked about Privileged or Personal Material Redacted [REDACTED] He had his resume on the top of his desk (without me having to bring up the issue). He told me that he is working on setting up a time for the two of them to get together. Leo will be in Juneau tomorrow and I have a follow up meeting with him on a number of issues. I will ask him for an update and reply back again.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Saturday, September 29, 2007 2:52 PM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Privileged or [REDACTED]

How close are we to getting Privilege [REDACTED] on board? Hopefully that will be taken care of this week.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 5:27 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Fagan

Dare I say he seems to have an evil streak Sean. It's heartbreaking to hear him.

Join the club though!

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From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 02 Oct 2007 16:44:09

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fagan

Gosh, I was kind of feeling left out while Dan Fagan picked on you alone—but no more—I'm proud to stand with you while I, too, am personally vilified by Fagan. J

I've told my staff not to respond and I've got one person monitoring—having instructed everyone else to keep their heads down and keep doing their work—though their curiosity was killing them as they turned off their radio connections.

Sean

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:42 PM
To: Rutherford; Martha K (DNR)
Subject: Re: Governor Palin on Bloomberg TV

Thanks so much Marty! You're leading a great team. Sure hope Kelsey's feeling good.

----- Original Message -----

From: Rutherford, Martha K (DNR)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tue Oct 02 15:17:52 2007
Subject: FW: Governor Palin on Bloomberg TV

Governor,

Thanks for doing another great job for all of us! As you can see below, you have a very supportive, and impressed, team at DNR!

Marty

From: Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 2:09 PM
To: Rutherford, Martha K (DNR); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)
Cc: Anders, Bruce F (DNR)
Subject: Governor Palin on Bloomberg TV

The Governor was just on Bloomberg TV, live feed at 1pm today. Needless to say SHE KILLED! She was slated to have 7 minutes to talk about taxes, AGIA and corruption. They had her stay through the break for an extra 5 minutes. Bruce and I watched it online in my office. She was on message and socked a HOME RUN!!! Bruce and I were going nuts, high fiving and fist pumping, it was surreal. She did a great job for this state today!

<http://www.bloomberg.com/news/av/>

Bruce found that hyperlink and thinks if we monitor the site we may find the clip posted shortly. Amazing job, amazing Governor.

KKG

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:34 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:33 PM
To: boles_angela@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Other

Ms. Boles:

Thank you for your email.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:27 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Angela Boles

address: 1183 O\ 'Neal Road, Apt. # 3 North Pole AK 99705
(907) 488-8635

MESSAGE:

Also, I must say that I am very glad I voted for you. You are Brilliant, Courageous, Tread where some never dare, and you accomplish this with outstanding success. Thank you, for I see Alaska going very far with you in the drivers seat.

boles_angela@yahoo.com

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 2:41 PM
To: Mills; Andy J (GOV); Bluhm; Jason R (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Aces

Wow - the state website w/ the ACES logo is beautiful! Just beautiful...

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 1:59 PM
To: Glass; John D (DPS); Monegan; Walt C (DPS); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Holloway; Audie E (DPS)
Subject: Re: Case unsolved

Thanks John. Would you make sure he's contacted and our answers suffice, otherwise he'll no doubt want to contact me again on the issue. Thanks!

----- Original Message -----

From: Glass, John D (DPS)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Monegan, Walt C (DPS); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Holloway, Audie E (DPS)
Sent: Tue Oct 02 13:39:55 2007
Subject: RE: Case unsolved

Governor: I have looked into this case and have had a copy of the original case forwarded to me from Archives in Juneau. I have also spoken with one of the original Troopers (now Lt. Kat Peterson) that responded to another burglary at the Scott residence on the same day. As you recall this is the neighbor that Mr. Dickman accuses of being the thief.

The original burglary (case #01-27579) was in a shed that Mr. Dickman stored his property. It is not on his property and the actual owner of that shed is unknown.

Investigation by Lt. Peterson indicated that the shed and the Scott residence were burglarized at probably the same time and probably by the same people. Tire tracks were followed from the shed to the Scott residence. Photos were taken of the tracks and they were compared to the Scott vehicle. While similar they did not match. Lt. Peterson was in the Scott residence (all 3 floors) and none of the property of Dickman's was observed. During the course of the initial investigation there was follow-up done by Lt. Peterson based on information provided by Mr. Dickman. No useful information was obtained. This included a neighborhood canvas to determine if any of the neighbors observed any activity at the time.

Never at any time was any information documented by investigation that Mr. Scott was the thief. In fact it appears that he was also a victim. Being advised of this Mr. Dickman has never been satisfied as he is sure that Scott was responsible.

Over the years Mr. Dickman has repeatedly contacted Commanders and other people within AST and provided names of people that he claims to have knowledge indicating that Scott was the burglar. These people have been contacted and indicated no knowledge. He also indicates that he wants the Scott residence searched for his property. This cannot be done without a search warrant and unless probable cause exists (which it does not in this case) a search warrant could or would not be issued.

It would indeed be unfortunate if Mr. Dickman chooses to take the law into his own hands and confronts Mr. Scott. This would put both of them at high risk and nothing good would come out of it. But there is no documented information indicating that Scott was the thief.

If you wish further information I am available by phone at 269-4519 or cell at 242-5879.

John D. Glass, Deputy Commissioner

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 3:58 PM
To: Monegan, Walt C (DPS); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Glass, John D (DPS)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Case unsolved

Thanks so much.

----- Original Message -----

From: Monegan, Walt C (DPS)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Glass, John D (DPS)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Sent: Sun Sep 30 15:41:33 2007
Subject: RE: Case unsolved

John will look into this Monday

-Walt.

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Sun 9/30/2007 1:26 PM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Monegan, Walt C (DPS); Glass, John D (DPS)
Cc: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Case unsolved

I'm here at Outdoor Show at Sullivan- Jerry Dickman, case #01-27579 says we haven't solved his Big Lake/Burma Rd break-in case and he wants his Evinrude motor back that was stolen and he says the guys who stole it is John Harold Scott. Jerry says he's going to take it back at gunpoint. I told him not to do that yet (it's been six and yrs) and that I promised I'd email you first and you'd help him. Jerry's #355-4474. He's standing right next to me - he knows I'm requesting assistance for him on this.

Thanks!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:02 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored); Frank Bailey; Bishop; Clark C (DOL)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: AWIB

I'll have Frank discuss with you. And Click can add anything also. Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 02 Oct 2007 11:33:49

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: AWIB

I am going to be speaking at the Ak Workforce Investment Board meeting later this month in Fairbanks. Is there anything in particular you want me saying about workforce development.

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 11:20 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Cc: Lopez; Thomas M (GOV); Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Subject: NY

I'll need the address of that AK Wild Salmon restaurant, and any other ASMI-related entities that are involved in promoting our seafood. Thanks

And if it works out to be there, pls let the owners know that this will be my "belated" tour of their new restaurant, since I couldnt make it to the true grand opening event.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:30 PM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: WICHE Policy Alert - October 2, 2007

From: Policy Analysis & Research [mailto:policy@wiche.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 1:11 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: WICHE Policy Alert - October 2, 2007

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"Achievement Trap: How America is Failing Millions of High-Achieving Students from Lower-Income Families"

http://www.jackkentcookefoundation.org/jkcf_web/Documents/Achievement%20Trap.pdf). is a report by the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation & Civic Enterprises with original research by Westat. It chronicles the experiences of high-achieving lower-income students during elementary school, high school, college, and graduate school. While some results are hopeful, other findings suggest that there are far fewer lower-income students achieving at the highest levels than there should be, they disproportionately fall out of the high-achieving group during elementary and high school, they rarely rise into the ranks of high achievers during those periods, and far too few ever graduate from college or go on to graduate school.

The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) strives to maintain excellent communication with the education policy and research communities. To subscribe or unsubscribe to the Policy Alerts and/or Stat Alerts distribution lists, please email your name, title, and organization to Jeanette Porter at jporter@wiche.edu. These electronic distribution lists are used only to support WICHE-sponsored programs and to share resources about relevant issues in higher education policy and research. As an additional resource, WICHE maintains a Policy Publication Clearinghouse on the web at <http://wiche.edu/policy/Clearinghouse>, which includes past Policy Alerts and Stat Alerts, as well as other studies, reports, surveys, and policy briefs.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 9:26 AM
To: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: DV

Sean and I will both speak for about seven minutes at the Oct 4 DV event.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:41 AM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Dillon

My oh my... what will this do within the coalition?!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 02 Oct 2007 08:34:01

To: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: Dillon

Take a look at Dillon's note on French.

----- Original Message -----

From: Robert Dillon <RDillon@energyintel.com>

To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV)

Sent: Tue Oct 02 08:17:57 2007

Subject: RE: Dillon

Sheesh, you couldn't make it simple, could you. ;-)

I spoke French and other Dems yesterday. They seem ready to rumble over gross. I think they could easily sink the whole overhaul in an effort to get their way.

Dillon

From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [mailto:joe.balash@alaska.gov <mailto:joe.balash@alaska.gov>]
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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:14 PM

To: Robert Dillon

Subject: Re: Dillon

We may have a quick and dirty sectional today...but there really isn't anything I would consider "new".

There are pages and pages of conforming references throughout the DNR and DOR titles to enable information-sharing between the two.

The repeal and reenact provisions deal mostly with cook inlet provisions. The reason for those provisions is that a potential loophole was plugged in the erg-writing process...but with rather weak statutory authority.

The effective dates are somewhat complicated. A couple of provisions are retroactive to April 1, 2006. Most other things are effective Jan 1, 2008.

There is a somewhat new wrinkle on the definition of lease expenditures...rather than use regs to determine what is out, we will be asking for the aighthority to promulgate regs spelling out what is deductible.

----- Original Message -----

From: Robert Dillon <RDillon@energyintel.com>

To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV)

Sent: Tue Oct 02 07:40:56 2007

Subject: Dillon

Good morning. I've got the bill, but is there a one-page cheat sheet of what's new? Is there anything in here that we didn't write about in early September? Any idea what time Commissioner Galvin is going to hold his press conference? The press release just gave a date and a call-in number, but no specific time.

Sincerely,

R.A. Dillon

Political Correspondent

Oil Daily/Energy Intelligence Group

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:37 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Press Release: Governor Releases Draft ACES Bill

Pls add my attendance at this 10am presser.

----- Original Message -----

From: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV) <lauren.yocom@alaska.gov>
To: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Stapleton, Meghan N (GOV)
Cc: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)
Sent: Tue Oct 02 07:15:12 2007
Subject: Press Release: Governor Releases Draft ACES Bill

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Note: Revenue Commissioner Pat Galvin will be available to answer questions on the ACES bill on Tuesday, October 2, 2007, in the Governor's Anchorage conference room, 17th floor Atwood Building. For reporters who are unable to attend in person, a teleconference has been arranged. The teleconference number is 1-800-315-6338. The access code is 0202#.

Governor Releases Draft ACES Bill

October 2, 2007, Anchorage, Alaska - Governor Sarah Palin yesterday released to members of the Legislature the draft bill that would replace the current Petroleum Profits Tax with a new production tax - Alaska's Clear and Equitable Share, or ACES. This release, 17 days before the beginning of the legislative special session, will allow additional time for the public and members of the Legislature to review the bill prior to the start of the special session. The final bill will be introduced in the state House and Senate on October 18, the first day of the special session. During the next two weeks, the Administration plans to hold town hall meetings to explain the plan and work with the Legislature on committee hearings.

The draft bill codifies the principles set out in the Governor's September 4, 2007, ACES announcement. As promised, the draft bill provides a more transparent tax system and increases public confidence by improving the state's audit function, providing for forward-looking cost data from producers and economic information sharing between the state departments of Revenue and Natural Resources and the public. The bill aims to clearly establish the value of oil produced in Alaska and how the state and producers of that oil will share that value. There are a variety of improvements to the State's authorities to protect Alaskans' interests. Among other changes, the ACES plan removes the deduction for producers who fail to maintain pipelines and other infrastructure.

The draft bill is available at <http://www.gov.state.ak.us/aces/> or you may call the Department of Revenue to have a paper copy mailed to you at (907) 465-2301.

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Lauren Yocom

Communications Assistant

Office of Governor Sarah Palin <<http://state.ak.us/>>

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:21 AM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Good job today!

Thanks so much Sean. I have great respect for your efforts on this. I think a Character Counts agenda that impacts the state could surely help make a difference. I look forward to working with you and Jay on this.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 01 Oct 2007 22:30:35

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Good job today!

You did a good job today for having to walk into that DV ceremony and read a set of comments cold. I'm really glad you were able to make it. I think your presence in this arena can make a difference.

Later in the day, I met with the president of the Alaska Christian College in Soldotna. He's got about 42 Alaska Native Students from about thirty villages, I believe. He took an anonymous survey among the young women who are part of the school and found that 100% claimed on their survey to have been a victim of domestic violence or sexual assault in their Bush homes. As part of their course of Biblical studies they also get one year of Christian counseling at the school. On the brighter side, he identified five or six villages where some light and hope are shining--Hooper Bay, Scammon Bay, Noatak, Unalakleet, Kiana, to name a few.

I'll be in Juneau on Tuesday and part of Wednesday. If you need anything, please let me know.

Sean

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 7:51 AM
To: Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: press release for ACES

Got it! Thanks!

----- Original Message -----

From: Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tue Oct 02 07:18:16 2007
Subject: press release for ACES

Governor,

Did you receive the ACES press release I just sent out?

Thanks,

Lauren

Lauren Yocom

Communications Assistant

Office of Governor Sarah Palin <<http://state.ak.us/>>

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 7:50 AM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: ACES

Amen.

Press availability at ten, also.

-----Original Message-----

From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Oct 2, 2007 7:27 AM
Subject: ACES

Good press release and strategy--particularly the townhall meeting part. Pat does a good job with townhalls and it will help counter some of the talk show spin.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 7:03 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Presser

Pls let me know what time aces press conf is today - i'll be there if for no other reason than to show support for aces, but my understanding is our economists are featured speakers.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:15 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Press Release: Governor Releases Draft ACES Bill

This is on your schedule. Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:37 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Press Release: Governor Releases Draft ACES Bill

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 8:19 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Justice Clarence Thomas

Justice Thomas is on Hannity & Combs and is talking about how people try to personally destroy others, their character, their image, etc., using his experience before a committee of the US Senate as his real life example. He has a new book out that may be worth a read.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:06 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Governor's Schedule for Wed. 10.03 thru Sun. 10.07.07

Importance: High

Governor - Here is your schedule for tomorrow Wed., 10.03 thru Fri., 10.05.07

Wednesday, October 03, 2007

1:30 p.m. - 1:40 p.m. Call in - Interview w/AK Business Monthly (10 min.) set up by Sharon - Sharon has the questions.

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Meet w/Pat Ladner, Sharon Adnerson, Dale Nash - Aero Space Development. Nizich will be staffing.

TENT: Meet w/St. Paul Fisheries re: Crab Rationalization Program. Comm. Lloyd will be available. Cora won't arrive in ANC until the 3:32 p.m. flight. Cora is doing briefing paper for you. *Would you like this meeting after Cora arrives

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:12 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Public_Safety

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:05 AM
To: mjme93@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Public_Safety

Ms. Elam:

Thank you for your email.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:37 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Public_Safety

Web mail from: Ms. Mary Elam

address: 10244 Caribou Street Eagle River AK 99577

MESSAGE:

Thank you for your attendance and participation in today's Opening Ceremonies event in recognition of Domestic V

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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:50 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

From: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 9:43 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

The Gov's rotary news letter

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 9:40 AM
To: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

From: Rotary Club of Juneau [mailto:mailservice@clubrunner.ca]

Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:32 PM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)

Subject: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

<<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Data/5010/2462/im>

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Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 5:57 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Meeting Request

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To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 10:30 AM
To: fftt@uaf.edu
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Tilsworth:

Thank you for your email.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 4:32 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. TIMOTHY TILSWORTH

address: 1900 RAVEN DRIVE FAIRBANKS AK 99709
907-479-0643

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:rn rn The Republican Party and the Congressional Delegation needs to get in step with you and not vi

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:33 PM
To: boles_angela@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Other

Ms. Boles:

Thank you for your email.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:27 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Angela Boles

address: 1183 O\Neal Road, Apt. # 3 North Pole AK 99705
(907) 488-8635

MESSAGE:

Also, I must say that I am very glad I voted for you. You are Brilliant, Courageous, Tread where

Unknown

From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 2:33 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: domestic violence issue letter to ANB—Brotherhood conference in Kake

Governor,

Just a one page letter as an FYI related to the dv issues of the day...this one was requested of me since I couldn't attend.

Sean

8/28/2009

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:44 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fagan

Gosh, I was kind of feeling left out while Dan Fagan picked on you alone—but no more—I'm proud to stand with you while I, too, am personally vilified by Fagan. ☺

I've told my staff not to respond and I've got one person monitoring—having instructed everyone else to keep their heads down and keep doing their work—though their curiosity was killing them as they turned off their radio connections.

Sean

8/28/2009

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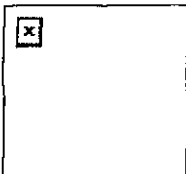
From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 12:50 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

From: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 9:43 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007

The Gov's rotary news letter

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 9:40 AM
To: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007


From: Rotary Club of Juneau [mailto:mailservice@clubrunner.ca]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2007 9:32 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Rotary - Windjammer - Oct 2 2007



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Juneau Windjammer

for Sarah Palin
 Tuesday, October 02, 2007

 Club Web Site

Hello Sarah! This email has been sent to you as a friend of our club. We hope you enjoy receiving this newsletter!

Editor: Nicole Clark If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

Global Polio Eradication Initiative
by Clark, Nicole

Future Speakers
Oct 2 2007 Nancy DeCherney "Juneau Arts & Humanities Council Winter Activities"
Oct 9 2007 Representative Andrea Doll

With its community-based network worldwide, Rotary is the volunteer arm and top private sector contributor to a global partnership dedicated to eradicating polio. Since its launch in 1988, the Global Polio Eradication Initiative - spearheaded by the World Health Organization (WHO), Rotary International, the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and UNICEF - has reduced the incidence of polio by more than 99

Oct 16 2007

Senator Klm Elton

Oct 23 2007

Brenda Hewitt

""Leadership Juneau""

Oct 30 2007

TBA

"TBA"

Nov 6 2007

Representative Beth Kerttula

Nov 13 2007

Foundation Auction

Dec 18 2007

N/A

"Holiday Party!"

Upcoming Events**2008 RI Convention**

Oct 2 2007

Anchorage Intl Rotary 50th**Anniversary Gala Dinner**

Nov 7 2007 - Nov 7 2007

Rotary District 5010**Conference**

May 8 2008 - May 10 2008

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This Week's Greeters

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nominations!

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percent. At the time, more than 125 countries were polio-endemic, and more than 350,000 children were paralysed by the disease each year.

Polio Today

Today, endemic wild poliovirus has been eliminated from all but four countries in the world (Afghanistan, India, Nigeria and Pakistan), and 2,000 cases were reported worldwide in 2006. Though great progress has been made, challenges remain. Overall, the quality of immunization campaigns must be improved, and more funding is critically needed as the GPEI is facing a funding gap of US\$415 million for 2007-08. In response, high-level representatives from governments, donors and international agencies, recently endorsed a final plan with clear milestones over the next 24-months to tackle these and other challenges to a polio-free world.

A 22-year-old Pakistani student was released from an Australian hospital on 9 August, after recovering from the polio virus. A national health alert was issued in Australia on 13 July after the student was diagnosed with polio, the first case of the virus in the country in 21 years. Another case of polio was also detected in Chad last month. Rotary's PolioPlus Partners program quickly released US\$241,000 to support urgent preventive immunization activities in neighboring Sudan, amid continued political unrest in the country. International PolioPlus Committee Chair Bob Scott calls the outbreaks a "wake-up call." "It prove[s] beyond a doubt that polio in your polio-free country is just a plane ride away," Scott says. "It's essential to continue with the PolioPlus program."

Letter from District Polio Plus Chair*by Clark, Nicole*

Bob Weel, our district PolioPlus chair, has asked me to send this along to you. Attachments can be found under the club downloads page.

Dear Club President & District Leader,

As we continue to fight the war on polio, I thought the following observation from Dr. Sayantan Gupta of India would hopefully help you get re-motivated to continue our battle against this crippling disease. Dr. Gupta offers several suggestions to the Indian Rotarians that we can also use here in Alaska, Russia and the Yukon.

I would encourage each club president, polioplus advisor, foundation chair, and bulletin editor to mention the PolioPlus campaign at each and every weekly meeting. Please ask your membership to continue their financial support to The Rotary Foundation - PolioPlus Partners

campaign. We CAN win this battle, but it will take each Rotarian in District 5010 to accomplish this. Attached is the current PolioPlus Partners Open Projects list along with the PolioPlus Partners Contribution Form. Have you done your part yet?

Working for a Polio Free World,

Bob Weel
PolioPlus Chair
District 5010

Message from DG Maynard Gross
by Steven Allwine

Dear Fellow Rotarians:

The following information is from a press release issued by the International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies:

"On Thursday, August 2 two strong underground tremors, registering 6.2 and 5.9 on the Richter scale hit Sakhalin region in the far east of the Russian Federation. . . . The epicenters are situated near the west coast of Sakhalin Island . . . Underground tremors were perceptible in the Nevelsky and Kholmsky districts of Sakhalin Oblast.

. . . According to official data, the heaviest damage occurred in the settlement of Nevelsk where around 25,000 people are currently living. Two people were killed and ten injured during the earthquake. Damage included structural damage to apartment buildings and facilities, as well as loss of power and water supplies in Nevelsk and several villages. The affected area is seven time zones from Moscow. . . .

Mari-Anne and I accompanied an inspection team of Rotarians from the Kholmsk and Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk Rotary Clubs. Aftershocks continue almost daily, rattling residents and endangering those involved in clearing and demolishing buildings. The government responded with tent and rail shelters, emergency supplies and a relocation/payment plan. . . .

The personal story which touched all of us was that of the mother of Assistant Governor Igor Grachev. She has lived in Nevelsk for many years, in a third floor apartment overlooking the picturesque water-front. Now she must leave and the options are not to her liking. She has enjoyed her independence and does not want to move in with any of her adult children, with their own families. And the government's compensation payment is not sufficient to buy a similar apartment. It seems that she and thousand of other unfortunate residents will have to leave Nevelsk. No one can say when, or if, replacement housing

will be constructed. She was allowed to retrieve personal effects but was not able to remove a treasured piano which was to be destroyed with the apartment.

. . . Members of the Kholmsk Rotary Club are already identifying situations and circumstances that Rotarians can provide assistance with. I think that it is important to show these faithful Rotarians that we share their feelings of loss, and we have the will, and the means, to assist them.

Yours in Rotary Service,

DG Maynard Gross

Here is where you can help. District 5010 will be collecting funds to help with disaster relief in the region. The Sakhalin Rotary Clubs will determine projects to be funded. It may be to help rebuild a school and provide necessary supplies. Or possibly to help with the relocation of those who have been displaced, like Igor's mother. The region that has been affected is part of our Rotary district, a part of our "family".

Please forward contributions to ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5010, PMB 823, 200 West 34th Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99503, and make a notation designating Nevelsk Disaster Relief. Contributions can also be wired to the District account at Wells Fargo Bank, Alaska, 620 Gaffney Road, Fairbanks, AK 99701, using the routing number 121000248 and Swift Code WFBIUS6S. If you choose to wire funds, please advise Treasurer Clay Hightower at clay@sh-cpa-firm.com of the amount you are sending and the name of the contributing club.

Sarah's Commitments

Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:33 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner
incl their Oct 27_29 tour?

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

I will be sending a "tentative calendar" to you shortly and it will have the Oct. 14 (Sun.) request from the 'deadliest catch group." This would be going to Unalaska (Dutch Harbor). Janice

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:59 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

there's an Oct event in here that we could check into?

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor – This request has come in for you to attend on Sunday, August 26 in Sarasota, Florida. This is with the "deadliest catch" group. I did not know your availability as you were going to go from Anchorage to Sitka on Monday, August 27. Please let me know if you would like to do this. Thanks, Janice

From: Eric Donaldson [mailto:eric@crabbroker.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 08, 2007 3:02 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

Good morning Janice,

I wanted to let you know that Alaska Brewing company has now donated Alaska Beer for our Charity event, so it is truly going to be a full on Alaska dinner!! It's fantastic.

Menu will be : Smoke Alaska Black Cod Croquette, Salad, Bristol Bay Red King Crab, and Baked Alaska for dessert.

We will be donating everything to the childrens Charity including proceeds from t-shirts and pictures autographed by the skippers that afternoon. We are closing down Main Street in Sarasota for the autograph session, and will have music and beverages. At the dinner we will have a live auction with the premier item being a trip for 2 up to Dutch Harbor on our annual Crab Connoisseur Tour in October which will be October 27 – 29th. This will be bringing the lucky bidder along with 50+ Chefs and Retailers from all over the country up to Dutch fro the opener of the 2007 Red King Crab fishery.

Everyone would really love to see Governor Palin in Sarasota. Phil, Johnathan, Andy, Keith and Larry would love to have her attend. Senator Bennett from Florida has also asked if the Governor will be able to attend.

This would really put the bow on the package if it is possible. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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I look forward to hearing from you.

All the best,
Eric L. Donaldson
The Crab Broker
941-926-1062
941-926-1063 Fax
941-266-8461 Cell

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:18 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Devon; Shannon L (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Press Release - Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan
Pretty darn good, eh? It's about as good as we could ask for right now.

"Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Will Vandergriff [mailto:Will_Vandergriff@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:07 PM
Subject: Press Release - Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Oct. 3, 2007
Jackson, (907) 283-2690

CONTACT: Konrad

Staff to Rep. Kurt Olson

Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan

Oil & Gas Committee First Referral in the House, Chairman Looks Forward to Upcoming Debate

(Soldotna) – Representative Kurt Olson (R-Soldotna) today said he and his staff are reviewing the work draft of the proposed changes to the Petroleum Production Tax (PPT) released Monday by Governor Sarah Palin.

"I certainly appreciate all the time and effort Governor Palin and her staff have put into this work draft," Olson said. "Since we don't know whether this will be the version introduced on the first day of the upcoming special session, we will be reviewing the draft on a conceptual basis.

"As Chair of the House Oil & Gas Committee, I have been working with the Administration since August and anticipate that we can maximize the return to the people of Alaska without killing the golden goose. If the final draft does not fix the inequities recently exploited by British Petroleum, passage of SB 80 becomes critical."

Senate Bill 80 is legislation crafted by Sen. Tom Wagoner (R-Kenai) to prevent BP PLC, and other producers from counting neglected or improper maintenance against their PPT tax credits.

Olson is traveling out of state and will return prior to the Special Session.

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:36 AM
To: Fradley; Tara D (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

T - would you print off before my fisheries mtgs thanks

Note: forwarded message attached.

Attachments:

St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07 (108900 Bytes)

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:59 AM
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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:45 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Performance Based Teacher Preparation Program
we need to decide if we're continuing with the (seemingly) unpopular teacher cash incentive program that previous administration adopted.

"Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov> wrote:

This is the invitation that I was referring to on the phone call with NEA. Governor, I am forwarding it to Janice so she can put it on your schedule as an FYI.

Lynne

-----Original Message-----

From: Jess And Shirley Holloway [mailto:hollowayassoc@gci.net]
Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 1:27 PM
To: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
Cc: Thompson, Barbara A (EED)
Subject: Performance Based Teacher Preparation Program

Hello Lynne,

I hope this e-mail finds you doing well.

I am working on a project that is being backed by Shell Oil. They identified five school districts where they want to develop a relationship over a period of time and do something worthwhile in the area of education. The five school districts are North Slope, Northwest Arctic, Lk and Penn, Bristol Bay and Aleutians East. We recently went to each community and visited with folks to discuss how Shell might support them in three areas:

Heritage Language

Math/Science Education

Increasing home grown teachers to reduce turnover

Of course, other needs were identified and they are being placed on the list of proposals to Shell.

One issue that was supported by all districts was in the area of growing our own teachers from the local teacher aide population.

On November 6, with representation from the five school districts and folks from the colleges, universities and DOE, we will launch the design team for a performance based teacher preparation program that gives

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credit for prior learning, is standards based and provided through a partnership of the school districts and universities.

I would like to invite you to attend this first meeting so you can gain an understanding of what we are trying to do and hopefully gain your support this effort. It is going to need top down and bottom up support. We have the bottom up but getting the top down has historically been more difficult.

So, we are launching this effort on Nov 6 at the Captain Cook from 1 to 5 and we would be so pleased if you were able to attend. I would be happy to discuss this with you in more detail. I hope you can fit this into your very busy schedule.

Warmest Regards,
Shirley

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:02 AM
To: rdoig@gci.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Doig:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:21 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Russ Doig
address: 12401 Beachcomber Dr. Anchorage AK 99515
907 677-2757

MESSAGE:

Thank you very much for the very nice note regarding my mothers passing. I appreciate it.
it.
Thanks,
Russ

rdoig@gci.com

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Elections

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:01 AM
To: rvd435@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Elections

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 7:31 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Paul Harnkijroong
address: 5944 gates ave Ridgwood NY 11385

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor PalinrnrnI'll keep it short and sweet. My name is Paul, I am a Mike Huckabee Supporter. I'd like to ask if you would endorse his cadidacy for president?
rnrnrnPaul

rvd435@yahoo.com

PLEASE ADD TO E-NEWS

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:13 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Are they only available late in afternoon?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 10:05:23

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor -

The St. Paul Fisheries Folks (5) are in Anchorage and would like to meet with you this afternoon. Commissioner Lloyd would be available and if we do the meeting after 4:00 p.m. Cora would be in ANC also. Please let me know if you would like this set for after 4:00 p.m. or before. Briefing was emailed to Kris concerning this meeting. I have attached it to this email also. Thanks, Janice

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:04 AM
To: lenard.johnson@us.army.mil
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 1:53 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. lenard johnson
address: 9414 Ayaginar dr Bethel AK 99559
907 543-2848

MESSAGE:

Ma'am,rnI am SFC Johnson, Lenard L. I am currently deployed in Kuwait with the 3-297th IN Battallon. I have a problem. I was court martialled on 15 June 07. I was found NOT GUILTY. Two day after the trail I was set-up by my comander CPT Fode and now I am being court martial again. I will "moer than likely win again". My problem is. The Battalon fly back to Mississippi on 10 October, I have to stay back here in country until after the court martial which I am told wont be until sometime in November. I need to get back home to my family. HELP! Please have someone contact me and I can give them all the details.rnThank You,rnSFC Johnson

lenard.johnson@us.army.mil

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:44 AM
To: Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Council?

Nah - no questions - just a Thank You.

Janice- pls note I'm now leaving the DMV meeting, and the Alaska MidWives Convention that also happened to be held at the Marriott - I invited myself and they were very cool.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 08:50:21

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Council?

Governor,

Do you want to open it up for questions at the Council stop tomorrow? Or just 'thank you for your work on these important issues' and shake some hands? Eric Olson said they'll go whichever way you like.

I'll have some points for you in a thank-you if you choose to use them.

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Director, Boards and Commissions

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

907-269-7450

Unknown

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:10 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Dps

Ugh!!! He also blamed us in his speech fot things like his arena's roof repair, "state roads WE have to maintain", etc.

----- Original Message -----

From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Oct 03 08:59:09 2007
Subject: RE: Dps

OK thanks, I will talk to Karen. Did you see how Begich is requesting an additional 20 new officers in his budget? Interesting move on his part, knowing that 20 officers will have a significant impact the DA's, defense attorney (who are already requesting \$2 million), courts and prison beds. The article states that the Mayor's budget calls on the state to pay for projects such as \$2 million for the Anchorage Golf Course and \$4.4 million for the Anchorage Museum. I guess he did not learn his lesson the first time.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 8:42 AM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Dps

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----- Original Message -----

From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Oct 03 08:33:33 2007
Subject: RE: Dps

Karen and I have expressed that even if approved, we will not be able to do everything at once. Shortly after the cabinet meeting, Karen's staff sent out an email to all commissioners requesting that they list their absolute must haves, prioritize those and show how those priorities can be phased in over 3 to 5 years. Walt was absent but his staff does have the instructions and should be working to meet our Oct 8 deadline to hear back from the agencies. We will have to prioritize his items along with everyone else.

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Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 8:00 AM

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Dps

Walt wasnt at cabinet mtg last. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: Frank Bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:02 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: HELLO

D&A is on this week's hit list....should have something by tomorrow. Sorry taken so long.

F

-----Original Message-----

From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 07:55:04

To: ftb907@yahoo.com

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: HELLO

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From: McCorkell, Amy B (DOA)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Oct 03 07:52:51 2007

Subject: HELLO

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How are you?

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I am sure you are busy, me too, been in trial this week and probably next week too. ugh! I am working a flex schedule, 3 10 hour days mon - wed and thursday a 7.5 and off on

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I still haven't heard anything about the drug and alcohol committee, maybe they nixed me.....?

Take care, love you lots, you are a great gov. I am so proud of you!

Amy

Unknown

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 8:59 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Dps

OK thanks, I will talk to Karen. Did you see how Begich is requesting an additional 20 new officers in his budget? Interesting move on his part, knowing that 20 officers will have a significant impact the DA's, defense attorney (who are already requesting \$2 million), courts and prison beds. The article states that the Mayor's budget calls on the state to pay for projects such as \$2 million for the Anchorage Golf Course and \$4.4 million for the Anchorage Museum. I guess he did not learn his lesson the first time.

Mike

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 8:42 AM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Dps

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To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Oct 03 08:33:33 2007
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Subject: Yest

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 7:55 AM
To: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:31 AM
To: Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: Re: Privileged or Per (future commissioner possibility)
fb - do u know him

Note: forwarded message attached.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:42 AM
To: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: Other

pls check definitively on it with Linda.

i know anything i say publicly can be repeated on-air at any time...

"Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor:

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Beth

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:17 AM
To: ExternalEmailgsp
Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

Something that may be considered - Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:32 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Jeremy Hegna
address: 10645 washington circle Anchorage AK 99515
(907)227-1591

MESSAGE:

Madam Governor,rnrnYou poked your head into my studio yesterday at the Fox (The Classic Rock Station) as I was putting together some voice tracking...You were heading into an on-air interview on KENI with Mike Porcarro.rnrnYou said a couple of words that got me thinkin...you said "The Fox Rocks!" mnrnIt sounded cool...you saying our mission statement, and got me wondering...Would the Governor be willing to drop in some voice work for us to use on the station on a regular basis? Kind of like our big voice guy that says "one hundred point five

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the Fox rocks Alaska" between records. I think it would be very cool and extremely local for you to do some of the voice work on our station. I am not sure what would be legal compensation for you to do some voicing...but I we could figure that out if you are intrested. I just envision you stopping by the studios for 10-15 minutes and cutting 8 or 10 quick sentences. Certainly the main tag lines for the station which would be re-usable indefinitely. Let me know if this would be cool for you to pull off and if you have a chance in your busy schedule. I could also arrange to put this together anytime you are already here for a visit with Rydell or Porcarro...whatever is most convenient.rnrnThanks for your consideration and the excellent work you are doing for our State. My family and I appreciate it!rnrnTake care,rnrnJeremy Hegna (Program Director KBFX)rnrn227-1591rnrnjeremyhegna@clearchannel.com or akdj@mac.com

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PLEASE ADD TO E-NEWS

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 2:50 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Schedule - OCTOBER

Sorry - I didn't know anyone was waiting on me for these travel dates. Is there a way I can see the tentative schedules so I don't keep people waiting so long?

First, I'll have to go through the NY travel sched. as I thought it was already a done deal and the tickets were purchased for my dep. and arr. dates/times. For some reason I thought I was flying through the night to get to NY by morning.

I did not know of the invitations to the formal events next weekend, so let me check with Todd on his slope schedule.

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

There are some large scheduling requests that we need to decide upon as the dates are being held and we need to know whether you will be available for other requests coming in during those dates.

Also, what is the expectation for my time during Special Session? Is it expected I be in Juneo throughout?

What is the Oct. 25 speech?

I'd like to do the deadliest catch event at end of Oct, but only one day

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:16 AM
To: Lloyd; Denby S (DFG)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Letter to North Pacific Council

Thanks Denby. I'll read it and comment in the AM. Thank you

----- Original Message -----

From: Lloyd, Denby S (DFG)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Crome, Cora J (GOV)
Sent: Wed Oct 03 00:12:42 2007
Subject: Letter to North Pacific Council

Governor:

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Thank you, DL.

Denby S. Lloyd

Commissioner

Alaska Department of Fish and Game

P.O. Box 115526

Juneau, AK 99811-5526

907-465-4719

Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 2:58 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Schedule - OCTOBER

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:56 PM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: GMD (Ground-based Midcourse Defense) Flight Test Update
Importance: High

-----Original Message-----

From: Romer, Richard H [mailto:richard.h.romer@boeing.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:50 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Parnell, Sean R (GOV); Mayor@ci.anchorage.ak.us; Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Coghill, John (LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Roses, Bob (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); info@anchoragechamber.org; wstevens@alaskachamber.com; bellis@institutenorth.org; info@commonwealthnorth.org; alaskaoffice@murkowski.senate.gov; Catherine.petty@mail.house.gov; jim_egan@stevens.senate.gov
Subject: GMD (Ground-based Midcourse Defense) Flight Test Update
Importance: High

All:

Many of you may have already heard about the recent GMD flight test, however, I've attached two press releases on the recently successful U.S. Missile Defense Agency and the Boeing lead Industry team GMD flight test conducted on September 28, 2007. This test is the seventh intercept for the GMD system and demonstrated the capabilities of America's only operational long-range ballistic missile defense system.

Thank you for your continued support of Alaska's missile defense program, and please enjoy this great news with us.

Best Regards,

Richard H. Romer
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Telephone 907.563.5505
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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:02 PM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES,SPECIALSESSION

No kidding!!! I got it and it was funny.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 18:01:13

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES,SPECIALSESSION

sorry...poor attempt at humor. they have the same last name.

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and by Sens Bettye Davis and Bill Wielechowski (all D-Anchorage), and attended by the public.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 5:50 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Davis; Marcia R (DOR)
Cc: Laing; Ian M (DOR); Devon; Shannon L (GOV)
Subject: Re: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES, SPECIAL SESSION

Are some of our folks attending to help answer questions? It will be great to have a good showing. I'll be in Juneau.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 15:34:12

To: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Davis, Marcia R (DOR)" <marcia.davis@alaska.gov>, Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Laing, Ian M (DOR)" <ian.laing@alaska.gov>, "Devon, Shannon L (GOV)" <shannon.devon@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES,
SPECIAL SESSION

From: Frank Ameduri

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 2:00 PM

To: Frank Ameduri

Subject: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES, SPECIAL SESSION

PRESS RELEASE • October 3, 2007

Alaska State Legislature

Representative Harry Crawford (D-Anchorage)

Web: <http://crawford.akdemocrats.org> <<http://crawford.akdemocrats.org>> • Contact: Heather Beaty • Phone: 269-0100 • Fax: 269-0105

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PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES, SPECIAL SESSION

Democrats to host community event Saturday

ANCHORAGE - Oil revenue, good food and community involvement will all be on the menu Saturday when several Democratic legislators host a public discussion about oil taxes and the upcoming special session. The group of seven legislators invites the public to participate in the event at the East High multipurpose room from 1-3 p.m. Saturday.

The legislators will bring people up to date on the governor's oil tax bill, Democratic priorities and goals for the special session and other significant news related to the October special session. The public is encouraged to share views, concerns and ask questions about oil taxes and the future of economic stability in Alaska.

The legislators in attendance called for this year's special session in April, as the recent federal indictments implicating last year's oil tax legislation, were issued.

Governor Palin soon after agreed. It is important for the public to understand the issues we'll need to discuss in order to craft a fair oil tax that achieves a fair share for

Alaskans, and a fair investment atmosphere.

There will be plenty of good food available, and the atmosphere will be conducive to positive, energetic discussion.

WHAT: Community meeting on oil taxes and the October special session

Where: East High multipurpose room

When: 1-3 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 6

Who: Hosted by Reps Harry Crawford, Berta Gardner, Bob Buch, Sharon Cissna and Les Gara and by Sens Bettye Davis and Bill Wielechowski (all D-Anchorage), and attended by the public.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:40 AM
To: Sarah Palin; Fradley; Tara D (GOV)
Subject: RE: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor - Meeting has been set up for 3:00 p.m. for (30 min.). Comm. Lloyd will staff.
This is on your calendar.

Tara - Please print off a copy for Comm. Lloyd and he will be up to office at 2:45 p.m. so
that he has time to look at the briefing paper. Thank you, Janice

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:36 AM
To: Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

T - would you print off before my fisheries mtgs thanks

Note: forwarded message attached.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 4:17 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Governor, I apologize as I may have caused some confusion. I had listed out all travel. The Juneau and New York flights have all been confirmed and you are departing from Anchorage to New York on the night flight Sunday as you thought.

The Town hall meetings Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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With the expectation that you will spend as much time in Juneau as possible during special session - we will schedule accordingly.

The large pending requests are:

Sunday, October 14 - Invite to Unalaska

Tuesda

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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 4:00 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: FYI- :)

Just as an FYI- it couldn't be avoided.. we had a AAA Moving van in the driveway today at about 11:00am. The large Butler's Pantry cabinets had to be moved off site and stored for the plumbing project. Hopefully the two photos of the House plumbing project on the front page of the Jnu Empire will help squash any rumors.

Erika Fagerstrom
Executive Residence Manager
Governor's House
State of Alaska, Office of the Governor
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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 2:27 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Schedule - OCTOBER

There are some large scheduling requests that we need to decide upon as the dates are being held and we need to know whether you will be available for other requests coming in during those dates.

Thursday, October 4 to JNU - evening flight w/girls

Friday, October 5 - Juneau Office

Saturday, October 6 - JNU/ANC - afternoon flight w/Bristol and Piper

Sunday, October 7 - ANC/New York - morning flight w/Bristol

Monday, October 8 - Thursday, October 11 - New York w/Bristol

Friday, October 12 - ANC

Saturday, October 13 - ANC - 14th Annual Mayor's Ball - Gov and First Gentleman - ANC or HIP

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:46 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Fabrello; Michelle A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

We will be preparing a condolence letter. Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:41 PM
To: Fabrello, Michelle A (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:37 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Doug Duffett
address: 32 Adak Avenue Fairbanks AK 99701
907-452-1407 ext 112

MESSAGE:

Rep. John Coghill's grandson, JOSEPH GREENE, age 4, died Wedn

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:02 AM
To: rdoig@gci.com
Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Doig:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:21 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Russ Doig

address: 12401 Beachcomber Dr. Anchorage AK 99515
907 677-2757

MESSAGE:

Thank you very much for the very nice note regarding my mothers passing. I apprecia

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:54 AM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Oil&Gas

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:50 AM
To: jstone@courts.state.ny.us
Subject: RE: Oil&Gas

Mr. Stone:

Thank you for your email.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 5:56 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: Mr. John Stone

address: 4964 adah Dr Manlius NY 13104
315-682-0625

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin - Your interview and views expressed on Bloomberg TV on 10/3/07 were so very refreshin

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Elections

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:01 AM
To: rvd435@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Elections

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:32 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

I will be sending a "tentative calendar" to you shortly and it will have the Oct. 14 (Sun.) request from the 'deadliest catch group.' This would be going to Unalaska (Dutch Harbor). Janice

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:59 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

there's an Oct event in here that we could check into?

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor - This request has come in for you to attend

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 1:14 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

Just spoke with Eric Donaldson, Crab Broker (FL) in regards to the Oct. 27-29 crab tour. This item was auctioned off and purchased at price tag of \$15,000.00. The dinner raised \$44,000 for children's charity. The focus on the Oct. tour is to educate the health of Alaska Fisheries and what Alaska does for sustainability. There will be 50 retailers and Chefs including Germany. Jonathan and Andy (which you have met) with the Time Bandit - Deadliest Catch will be there also. They are first class guys and Alaska should be proud.

On Sat. 10.27 - There will be a tour through the processing ce

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:05 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor -

The St. Paul Fisheries Folks (5) are in Anchorage and would like to meet with you this afternoon. Commissioner Lloyd would be available and if we do the meeting after 4:00 p.m. Cora would be in ANC also. Please let me know if you would like this set for after 4:00 p.m. or before. Briefing was emailed to Kris concerning this meeting. I have attached it to this email also. Thanks, Janice

Attachments:

St Paul Briefing.doc (6023 Bytes)

Saint Paul Letter to Governor Palin (2).pdf (6087 Bytes)

Governor's Briefing for Meeting with St. Paul Island Entities - October 3, 2007

Proposed Attendees:

Heather McCarty, Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association (CDQ group)
Simeon Swetzof, Mayor of St. Paul
Pat Hardina, representing TDX, the St. Paul Native Corporation
Mateo Paz-Soldan, an attorney working with Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association and the City of St. Paul

Topics: The representatives of St. Paul want to discuss community protection and custom processing regulations in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands king and tanner crab fisheries.

Community Protection:

One aspect of the complex regulatory scheme under which crab fisheries are now managed is that a percentage of the crab must be delivered in a Northern port. This ensures that St. Paul will have a significant amount of crab deliveries. This regional delivery requirement is tied to the processor quota, not the harvesting quota. Representatives of St. Paul are concerned that if the percentage of processor quota is reduced, it will reduce the amount of crab landed in St. Paul, since fishermen will be free to deliver anywhere and may choose to deliver somewhere more convenient or with higher prices.

Crab processing is very significant to St. Paul's economy and they rely on that revenue to ensure that their processor remains open for other fisheries. I have told them that we are sympathetic to their concerns for continued viability of their community and are looking for ways to continue historic delivery patterns into St. Paul even if we determine that some reduction in the percentage of processor quota is the best option.

Custom Processing:

St. Paul is also interested in a regulatory change to allow more processing to occur in their community. Currently, they are limited by the processing quota ownership caps. They have proposed "custom processing", which would allow the plant in St. Paul to process more crab as long as they do not own the processing quota. There are also several other communities that have a similar problem and are seeking a similar change. We are in the process of analyzing this proposal at the council. I have told St. Paul that we are willing to consider such a change as long as it is limited in scope so as not to raise concerns about excessive consolidation in the processing sector.

To: The Honorable Sarah Palin
Governor of Alaska
P.O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

From: Saint Paul Island Entities

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Re: Letter from Saint Paul Island Entities

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April 27, 2007

The Honorable Sarah Palin
Governor of Alaska
P.O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Palin:

As representatives of Saint Paul Island's main entities, we are writing to express our concern that the carefully constructed balance between processors, harvesters, and communities in the Bering Sea/Aleutian Islands (BSAI) crab rationalization program, which is necessary to protect the interests of all participants, may be altered in a manner that is harmful to our community. The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (NPFMC or Council) is in the first stage of a planned 18-month review of the program, and is naming a crab advisory committee to consider, among other things, the effects of the 90/10 split between "A" shares which are regionalized and must be delivered to processors owning processor quota in designated regions, and "B" shares which can be delivered anywhere.¹

For various reasons, specified in greater detail below, Saint Paul's economy is almost entirely dependent on crab processing. As a result, negative impacts to the processing sector impact the community's economic base and other dependent businesses. Although crab stocks continue to be low, the rationalization program has ensured that some level of economic activity derived from this fishery has remained on Saint Paul and in the northern BSAI crab region. We therefore urge that the program, which is only 18 months old, be given an opportunity to work.

We would also like to take advantage of this opportunity to extend to you an invitation to visit our historic community and the rich marine wildlife that characterizes the Pribilof Islands.

I. The Transition from Fur Sealing to Fishing on the Pribilof Islands:

For over a century, Saint Paul was not allowed to develop a commercial fishing industry due to the exclusive federal management of the commercial fur seal harvest.²

¹ The program summary included in the "Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Rationalization Program Report, Fishing Year 2005/06, prepared by NMFS (12/14/06) provides a valuable overview of the main elements of the program on pages 1-9. The report may be accessed at: <http://www.fakr.noaa.gov/sustainablefisheries/crab/rat/rpt/2005crabreport.pdf>.

² The Pribilof Islands have a unique history due to the fact that until 1983 the Islands were administered by the U.S. Department of Commerce for the exclusive purpose of harvesting fur seal pelts. No other commercial (i.e. fishing) activities were allowed by federal administrators out of concern that it would impact the commercial fur seal harvest. The Native Aleut residents on both Saint Paul and Saint George Islands were employed in this commercial operation which was inherited by the U.S. Government when it purchased the Alaska territory from the Russian Empire in 1867. In fact, historians note that it was the valuable Pribilof fur seal operation that spurred

Then, in 1983, the U.S. Congress directed that the federal government's fur sealing operations be phased out. With fisheries being the only viable alternative to fur sealing on the Pribilofs, the community scrambled to develop the necessary fisheries-related infrastructure in the late 80's and early 90's with the support of the U.S. Congress and the State of Alaska.³ The first stage of the Saint Paul Harbor was completed on August 4, 1990, at a cost of \$32,332,600. In addition, the community indebted itself with millions of dollars to upgrade infrastructure and build facilities that would support the development of a fisheries-based economy such as a fuel farm, a power plant, water storage facilities, a landfill, and other utility upgrades.

The 1981 collapse of the Bering Sea king crab fishery and the need by harvesters and processors to diversify from king crab into opilio crab provided Saint Paul with the opportunity to enter a major fishery. The Bering Sea crab fishing industry took advantage of Saint Paul's harbor and the community's considerable investments in fisheries-related infrastructure to initiate shore-side landings, processing, and vessel support services for the fleet. Saint Paul's proximity to the opilio crab grounds with the associated benefits of reduced fuel costs, time, deadloss, and safety risks, plus its fresh water reserves, its airport, and other support services, were extremely valuable to a non-rationalized derby-style fishery. The first significant opilio landings in the harbor occurred in 1993 at the Unisea barge followed in 1995 at the Trident shore plant. The processing and harvesting sectors clearly benefited from their relationship with Saint Paul and the considerable public and private investment on the Island. The community and the State also benefited.⁴ As a result, in the late 90's, Saint Paul was, after Unalaska, the largest generator of fisheries business tax in the State of Alaska.

III. The Impacts of the Collapse of the Opilio Crab Fishery on Saint Paul:

In 1999, when the Alaska Department of Fish & Game (ADF&G) announced a significant reduction in the Guideline Harvest Level (GHL) for opilio crab from approximately 192 million lbs. in 1999 to 28 million lbs. in 2000, our community was forced to take drastic actions. The City receives a portion of the State levied fisheries business tax on all crab delivered and processed by the Island's shoreplants as well as by

U.S. interest in acquiring Alaska in the first place. Within ten years of the purchase, the fur seal harvest had paid for Alaska's entire cost to the U.S. of \$7.5 million. The history of the American operation of the fur seal franchise on the Pribilof Islands and the treatment of the Aleuts through 1947, is documented in Aleut Community of Saint Paul Island v. United States, 42 (Ind. Cl. Comm. 1, 149 (1978)).

³ A \$20 million trust was established pursuant to the 1983 Fur Seal Act Amendments and the federal government and the State of Alaska committed to helping Saint Paul and Saint George build harbors necessary to develop a fisheries-based economy.

⁴ For the 1995-1999 period, for example, Saint Paul's market share of the opilio crab harvest averaged 36.1% based upon revenues. See "Economic Impact of Bering Sea Crab Stock Disaster on Saint Paul and the Need for Fisheries Diversification in Years 2000 and Beyond," prepared by Natural Resources Consultants, December 1999.

floating processors stationed within three nautical miles of Saint Paul Island⁵. In addition, the City receives a 3% sales tax on crab delivered to processors inside the Saint Paul Harbor as well as a sales tax on fuel and other supplies sold in the harbor. As a result of the fishery collapse, the total decrease in revenues to the City of Saint Paul in 2004, 2005, and 2006, as compared to 1999, was 84%, 84%, and 86%, respectively. This is almost directly proportional to the 85% decrease in the GHL from 1999 to 2000 and subsequent years. Several major areas of City revenues such as onshore and offshore processing, fuel distribution, harbor services, and local businesses continue to be depressed. These effects are summarized in the chart included as Attachment A.

The decline in revenues experienced by the City is indicative of the declines similarly experienced by privately held businesses in the community. These revenue declines have been felt directly by Saint Paul's 460 residents through loss of jobs, loss of consumers, loss of the community day care facilities, and curtailment in air passenger, cargo and bypass services to the mainland. As of the date of this letter, the City of Saint Paul officially has 38 employees, down from 50 in early 2000. The 2000 Census listed the population at 532; many residents have moved off the Island due to lack of work and opportunities. The departure particularly hurts the long-term viability of the Island as many of those leaving are educated, skilled, and young. The community is now heading into the eighth year of the opilio crab fishery collapse. However, the scenario would have been much worse if Saint Paul had not been protected by the Three Pie concept built into the crab rationalization program.

IV. "Three Pie" and the Benefits of Rationalization for Saint Paul:

As a result of the crisis brought on by the crab collapse our community was forced to make a number of difficult decisions. One of the first steps was to request, as an affected fishing community, that the Secretary of Commerce, under the authority extended to him by Section 312 (a) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, declare that a commercial fishery failure had occurred due to a fishery resource disaster. Such determination was made by the Secretary on May 11, 2000, and due to the continued collapse of the opilio crab fishery has been extended by successive notifications from NMFS. This declaration allowed Saint Paul to tap into federal assistance and provided the impetus for proceeding with the development of a rationalization program in the crab fisheries.

On the rationalization front, the community with the support of the State, played a key role in constructing the proper balance among processors, harvesters, and communities, known as "Three Pie." Critical from the community's perspective was that the US Congress, the State of Alaska, and the NPFMC (the Council) recognized that the considerable federal, state, and municipal investments made on Saint Paul that proved invaluable to developing a commercially successful crab fishery in the Bering Sea,

⁵ The fish tax is 3% for shorebased facilities and 5% for floaters (see A.S. 43.75.015(a)). The state refunds 50% of the tax collected to cities located in unorganized boroughs and 25% to cities located within organized boroughs (A.S. 43.75.130(a)).

merited protection within the context of rationalization, in a manner similar to that extended to the harvesting and processing sectors.

Congressional approval of the crab rationalization program in January of 2004 set the stage for ending the derby style crab fishery and for the consolidation of harvesting and processing activity in the Bering Sea. As the main port in the designated northern region of the Bering Sea, Saint Paul has benefited from this program, even though crab stocks remain low and the community's revenues are still at 85% of what they were in 1999. While at present only two of the six crab fisheries are open, required deliveries to northern region processors have helped generate revenues of slightly more than \$600,000 per year during the last seven years which have helped the City to survive until the stocks return and new fisheries can be developed (see Attachment A).

Moreover, even at low quota levels, the limited crab processing taking place on Saint Paul thanks to rationalization provides the economic basis for the local CDQ and IFQ halibut fishery as the local fishermen have no alternative location to process their halibut. CBSFA contracts with Trident at Saint Paul to custom process the halibut delivered by the local fleet. This fishery is a major source of employment and income for the community - in 2006 it generated income of over \$2,400,000. This is significant for a small community. Furthermore, through its CDQ allocations, CBSFA has promoted economic activity by delivering its allocations of Bristol Bay Red King Crab (BBRKC) and Opilio to northern region processors based at St. Paul.

Some 300-400 non-residents work at the shore-based Trident processing facility during the crab season. In addition, transient fishermen who deliver crab are also important to the local economy. These individuals are an important group of consumers and source of business for the Community Store, the Tavern, the Package Store, and the Hardware Store. The local village corporation, TDX, obtains substantial revenue from other related services such as leasing land for freezer vans (crab), sales of fuel, and hotel services, as well as jobs. Businesses such as PenAir, Northland Services, and Delta Fuel are dependent on these flows of people and trade. It is clear that without crab processing, the Island would face economical collapse.

Finally, without crab processing the community would be unable to attract investment in the infrastructure, permitting, and other upgrades necessary to diversify into commercially valuable species such as pollock and cod, and survive in the long term. This would be an unfortunate development given that Saint Paul's greater proximity to the commercial fisheries which are gradually moving into the northern Bering Sea, in addition to high fuel costs, makes the Island an ideal location to support the North Pacific industry.

V. Conclusion:

For the above reasons, the community views with concern challenges to the 90/10 A share/B share split. This is not only a harvester/processor issue, as this split is the basis for labeling quota as either northern or southern region quota and is currently the only protection that Saint Paul has. It is therefore important to maintain a proper balance

between restricted use (regionalized) processor quota shares, which are matched on the harvesting side with regionalized A-shares, and B-shares which do not need to match PQS/IPQ, and are not regionalized. Preliminary Council analyses, moreover, show that there are no significant B-share and C-share landings in the northern region. The level of landings of B-shares and C-shares in Akutan and Dutch Harbor, in the southern region, which are a full 22% higher than those ports' share of A-share landings, illustrate that the northern region is almost completely dependent on the A-share component (90%) in this program.⁶

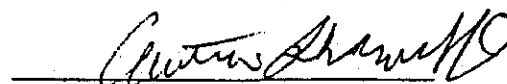
The community believes that the problems being attributed to the crab rationalization program by some participants in the Council process are being solved and do not require alterations to key elements of the program at this time. In the northern region, these problems have been aggravated by incidents such as the ice events in the harbor during the last two crab seasons and the fire on the Steller Sea processing vessel. All of Saint Paul's entities, however, are working closely with the processing and harvesting sectors, to solve the problems associated with the low crab quotas by allowing for custom processing arrangements that would maximize operational efficiencies for northern region participants. We hope to have this project up and running in time to allow us to process opilio and BBRK crab as well as CDQ and IFQ halibut for the next season.

Governor Palin, we look forward to the opportunity to discuss these issues and our concerns in person with you in Juneau, Anchorage, or on Saint Paul. We would like to meet with you before the next Council meeting, beginning June 4, at which the crab program review will be discussed and potentially acted upon.

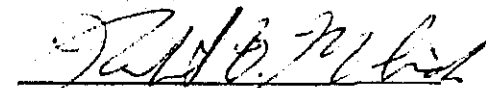
We are aware of your personal commitment to healthy and viable rural Alaskan communities and we hope that you understand our perspective regarding this matter. Again, we would be delighted if you decide to accept our invitation to visit our unique community. We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,


Linda Snow, City Manager
City of Saint Paul Island


Anthony Philemonoff, President
Tanadgusix Corporation


Phillip Lestenkof, President
Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association


Robert Melovidov, President
Tribal Government of Saint Paul

cc: Denby Lloyd, Alaska Department of Fish & Game

⁶ "18 Month Review – Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Management", NPFMC staff analysis, March 2007, page 45, table 16.

ATTACHMENT A

City of Saint Paul Sales and Fish Tax Revenues (rounded to the nearest thousandth dollar and percentage point)

Revenue Source	1999	2000	2004	2005	2006	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2000	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2004	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2005	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2006
Onshore Processors	782	113	178	191	194	86%	77%	76%	75%
Offshore Processors	1,935	298	272	230	135	85%	86%	88%	93%
Fuel Distributors	85	11	20	28	42	87%	76%	67%	51%
Harbor Services	759	78	69	94	91	90%	91%	88%	88%
Local Businesses	110	60	60	47	45	45%	45%	57%	59%
TOTAL	3,671	560	599	590	507	85%	84%	84%	86%

Although Saint Paul has experienced a dramatic decline in revenues since 1999 resulting from the opilio fishery collapse, the existence of the crab rationalization program has ensured deliveries of crab in northern region ports including Saint Paul.

In the past seven years, these revenues have on average ranged between \$500,000 and \$600,000 per year providing some relief to the community until the crab stocks return.

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:17 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

Something that may be considered - Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:32 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Jeremy Hegna
address: 10645 washington circle Anchorage AK 99515
(907)227-1591

MESSAGE:

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 8:24 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Thanks from DMV!

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:37 AM
To: Bannock, Duane A (DOA)
Subject: RE: Thanks from DMV!

Mr. Bannock:
Thank you for your email.

From: Bannock, Duane A (DOA)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:07 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Thanks from DMV!

Good Morning Ma'am,

Thank you so much for making an appearance at DMV training day, I know the staff member were thrilled that you'd take the time to stop in and say 'hi'!

The State of Alaska is fortunate to have both a Governor and a DMV family that strives to make things just a little 'bit better each day for our residents.

Thank you again,

Duane Bannock
Director
Division of Motor Vehicles

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 3:57 PM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: CEO Washington DC Seminar: Global Outlook 2025 - Faculty so premier, you'll wish you were registered

From: Chief Executives Organization [mailto:ceoheadquarters@ceo.org]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 1:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
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Regards,



Mike Galvin
CEO Washington DC Seminar Education Chair

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Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 10:19 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: WICHE Stat Alert

From: Stats [mailto:stats@wiche.edu]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:01 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: WICHE Stat Alert

Stat Alert – October 4, 2007

A report from the U.S. Census Bureau, *Reasons People Do Not Work: 2004* (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2007pubs/p70-111.pdf>), includes an interesting analysis comparing race/ethnicity and educational attainment levels with reasons nonworkers cited for not working. In particular, workers with higher educational attainment levels were much less likely to cite “Unable to find work” and “Chronic illness/disability” and more likely to cite “Retired” as reasons for not working than people with lower educational attainment levels. The report also analyzes the data by race/ethnicity.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 1:12 PM

To: mlester@adn.com

Subject: Photo

Hi Marc:

Your fall colors photo that ran yesterday is the prettiest autumn picture I've ever seen.

We're ordering a copy for the Anchorage office.

You are talented – your talent captured that most beautiful scene.

Thank you!

Sarah Palin

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 10:05 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Sched

Pls just title Jan 17-18 "do not sched" instead of noting it's Track's graduation.

Also, may i get ahold of the tentative sched and upcoming choices of events and mtgs?

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 1:11 PM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: uschamber.com Monthly: Rebuilding the Infrastructure

From: membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 11:58 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: uschamber.com Monthly: Rebuilding the Infrastructure

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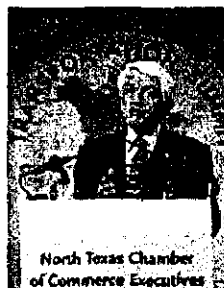
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 10:36 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Oil Tax Forum

From: Wayne Stevens [mailto:wstevens@alaskachamber.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 5:20 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil Tax Forum



The Alaska Journal of Commerce & the Alaska State Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring a policy forum to discuss oil production decline and state tax policy. Selected state officials, legislators, petroleum company managers and Alaska business leaders will participate.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:44 PM
To: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Sitka

Pls move Sitka Aces mtg to oct 18 - while i'm there for Ak Day events.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:42 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Oct 15

Can Sean take the british counsel mtg on the 15th.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:01 PM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Frank Bailey; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Denali Awards Planning May 2008

May I have Kris work with you on this? Thanks.

Also, i need more schedules of HESS events, public mtgs, PSA opportunities, etc that would allow me to be in the loop on HESS agenda issues. I've asked Frank to request info from you also re: committee and council mtgs and events. Thank you.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 16:52:53

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Denali Awards Planning May 2008

Dear Governor Palin,

Commissioner Kreitzer and I are discussing the next year of Denali Awards. Both of us would like your thoughts on who you would like to include in the award presentations.

During May 2008, which coincides with National Employee Recognition Month, we thought you would meet with the winners only, however, the Commissioner would also like to know if you would consider meeting with the winners' family and co-workers as well. Please let us know your thoughts.

Thanks, Anna

Anna Kim

Special Staff Assistant

Office of the Governor

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:49 PM
To: Notti; Emil R (CED)
Subject: Fw: Privile

Thank you Emil!

-----Original Message-----

From: K Perry
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Oct 4, 2007 6:40 PM
Subject: RE: Privil

Yes, it will be once we have it in writing. And, that should hopefully be tomorrow or Monday at the latest. I'll keep in touch with Emil on this.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:38 PM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Privile

Is resignation public?

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From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 18:34:56
To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Privilege

Emil spoke to Privil today; his resignation paperwork will be finalized early next week when Emil returns from D.C.

Also, I called Todd too. Don't know if that helped at all.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:45 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Council

Tell him i do wish it could be squeezed in but looks impossible

----- Original Message -----

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thu Oct 04 18:43:49 2007
Subject: RE: Council

Governor, I will let Commissioner Campbell know of this right away. Thank you, Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:41 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Council

J-pls tell campbell cant squeeze in natl guard trip day before sp sess.

Mike- need to talk about recent public HESS comments- not good. And concerns from Health Care Council members.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:32 PM
To: Frank Bailey; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: autism meeting

I need to get to these mtgs- and others - to show I care. I need Anna to bring me in the loop on what I can do to help. Pls let me know what anna says re: scheds and other aspects of this. Feel free to get HESS committees scheds from her. Dan may know more re: what I can do to help also.

Sean cares about this also. I want him brought in the loop re: steps we can take to help.

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From: "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 5 Oct 2007 02:23:18

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: autism meeting

Just read Heather's whole letter. Man oh man oh man. There will be an uprising in the State's disabled community if they don't feel we're there to support them. Just thinking of the daily challenges secondary provider face daily in their own homes, we can't let them think we're not "there for them". Again I don't know this issue, but maybe I can look at a small change on the Health Council membership to look at things differently a bit? Only 2 or 3 more meetings so it is only a small thing.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 5 Oct 2007 01:59:10

To: "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "K Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: autism meeting

Pls keep this email from my sister confidential. But it sheds light on what Dan was trying

to tell us today - and you can share this with Dan.

We do need to do a better job in other areas, not just oil and gas. If there are board meetings or events or PSAs that I could help with to prove our commitment to helping in this area, please let's do it.

We've got to break out of the merely oil/gas agenda that's been all-consuming this entire year.

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From: Kurt & Heather Bruce <khbruce@gci.net>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 17:44:17

To: sarah palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: autism meeting

I attended a meeting of the Governor's Council on Disabilities and Special Education Wednesday night and heard some interesting public comments regarding a meeting many of them attended Tuesday. Commissioner Jackson spoke at that one, and the common response from people at the Council meeting was "appalling." Apparently many of the people couldn't believe some of the comments coming from Ms. Jackson regarding the services needed for the disabled. I couldn't follow everything they were saying, and sure wished I would've been there to hear myself, but I think what they were saying was that Jackson seemed to be downplaying the immediate need for services for our autistic and other disabled children and young adults. I think I heard she said our state will be healthy soon and won't need the services of non-profits like the Arc and Hope Cottages, and that we should have one entity to deliver services. Does she mean babies won't be born disabled, and those of us who have disabled kids now can't be serviced adequately? So many of us use the different organizations to help us. Personally, we've used Hope, the Arc, Challenge Alaska, and Catholic Social Services to meet various needs of Karcher.

Sarah, you can't imagine the lack of support we parents are experiencing these days, mostly because of the lack of funding for proper recruiting, training, and retaining qualified providers. There is a wait list out there that Karcher has been on for over 8 years. There is a work force crisis such that parents using the Arc for support don't have providers from one day to the next. Several people got up and spoke at the meeting I attended and said they are happy for the new administration, have confidence in the new governor, and hope the mess left by Murkowski can be cleaned up. For once I finally got the nerve to get up in front of a crowd and speak. I was so totally out of my comfort zone and was absolutely scared to death, but decided the crowd needed to know that you understood our frustrations and had first-hand experience because of Karcher. Naturally I broke down when I talked about Karcher, but somehow I finished, in somewhat of a mental blackout. Afterwards several people from out of town approached me and thanked me for expressing my views and your passion for our cause. I know you meet thousands of people around the state, but a few of these parents said you gave them personal attention, appreciated you taking the time to listen to them, let them take pictures, and remembered their names.

Someone gave me a printout of the names of people on the State of AK's Health Council and pointed out that no one from the Autism Ad Hoc Committee was on the list. Don't know what I'm supposed to do about that, but I do know some of the people on the committee and extremely knowledgeable about our situation.

One of the most common, scariest, and heartwrenching topics we parents of special needs kids have is what will happen to our child(ren) when we die. Who will take care of them? What does Alaska have to offer? Even if parents die wealthy, what services and providers are available? What good is our money if there aren't enough qualified providers to help our kids? Do you know how frightening it is to think of Karcher out there in society alone, trying to take care of himself, work, and generally function in our society? I think middle school is stressful for him and us now; I can't imagine what it's going to be like for him in 10, 20 years.

Sorry about this lengthy disjointed email. Some people I run into these days think I've got a direct hotline to your office and can influence your decisions. I tell them you're doing a great job, and let them know not to be afraid to get out there and educate others about the situation.

Thanks for caring,

Heather

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:26 PM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey
Subject: Re: Alaska's Process

Right on. I'm excited to see this and participate in any way you could use me. I'd like some of our boards and commissions members - and applicants - to understand our permit process also. Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 18:08:16

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Alaska's Process

Governor,

Given the concern about Pebble, mining, and resource development in general; our large project team has been working hard on a presentation on how the permit process works for mining. The plan is to use this presentation around the state in towns, villages, conventions, chamber meetings, legislature, native corporations etc. The goal is to show Alaskans that Alaska has a competent permitting process.

We would like to give a preview to you and whoever you would like from your staff. The presentation will take 30 to 40 minutes plus any questions.

God bless, Tom

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 5:26 PM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: (no subject)

This support is encouraging. They no doubt want the hybrid to lean more towards gross - I think they will be good to work with. Thank you Joe.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 17:17:33

To: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: (no subject)

FYI

----- Original Message -----

From: DGottstein@aol.com <DGottstein@aol.com>

To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV)

Sent: Thu Oct 04 17:05:28 2007

Subject: (no subject)

Joe, Backbone had a good meeting today. I believe we are at consensus to support ACES, with modifications. Most I mentioned before, but with access and legacy field adjustments.

I have been tasked with drafting a letter to the Governor to get approval. To set our position. We have done a lot of work to bring several legislators who were staunch gross advocates to come our way....fyi...call if you want....230-1031. Out back east from 5-14 of Oct.....thanks....David

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 8:24 AM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: Thanks from DMV!

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:37 AM
To: Bannock, Duane A (DOA)
Subject: RE: Thanks from DMV!

Mr. Bannock:

Thank you for your email.

From: Bannock, Duane A (DOA)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:07 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Thanks from DMV!

Good Morning Ma'am,

Thank you so much for making an appearance at DMV training day, I know the staff member were thrilled that you'd take the time to stop in and say 'hi'!

The State of Alaska is fortunate to have both a Governor and a DMV family t

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 8:19 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: FW: Rep. Coghill's grandson

From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 5:52 PM
To: Kelly, Russell T
Subject: RE: news

Russ:

If you would pass on this info to Gov. Palin and Lt. Gov. Parnell:

Cards can be sent to Rep. Coghill and his wife Luann at:

PO Box 58003

Fairbanks, AK 99711

From: Rynniera Moss
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 2:07 PM
To: Melba Piispanen; Barbara Cotting
Subject: Update on Joseph

Melba and Barbara,

Could you please pass on the message that Representative Coghill's grandson, Joseph Green, has gone home to be with the Lord. Karen and I would

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 1:35 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Anchorage Womens' Club

Thought it was great that you could cover the state's direction and policy as governor and I could take it to a personal level. Kate commented that was one, of many things, that worked well for us in the duo speaking arrangement...and you, again, blew me away with your kind remarks. Thank you.

I'll be in Nome and surrounding villages Monday and Tuesday with Larry Hartig.

8/31/2009

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 7:02 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
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Subject: RE: Council

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To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Council

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 2:42 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: first grade classroom request

I will. Strange and pretty bold to email you directly with such a request.

Also, I called the Mayor's office and spoke to Joy. I told her we rec'd a letter from the Mayor to the Governor that was addressed to Wasilla. I told her that the Governor works in the Anchorage office and should the Mayor want his correspondence expedited, he should send it to 550 W. 7th Avenue address...and that I wasn't quite sure why the Mayor would have sent it there in the first place. I was very pleasant.

Mike, a copy has been faxed to you. I'll check w/Tara but I believe she also sent to Michelle Fabrello.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 2:23 PM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Fw: first grade classroom request

K- would u contact this fella and tell him, um, sure... I guess I'd love to find him some cow manure (unless this is a set-up). I have nothing else to do. ;)and don't they have horses in Juneau?

Also, pls note for Mike and Sharon the Begich slap with the address.

----- Original Message -----

From: Fred Hiltner <hiltnerf@jsd.k12.ak.us>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thu Oct 04 14:13:15 2007
Subject: first grade classroom request

Dear Governor Palin,

First, I want to thank you for all the hard work you are doing to make our great state of Alaska even greater. I can only imagine how difficult a job that is. So I have a humble request for you for assistance for my first grade classroom at Harborview School, right across from where Piper was in Ms. Winegar's class last year.

Our class is studying renewable energy this year, and we are working on a bio-gas generator. A bio-gas generator creates methane from the billions of microorganisms living in the digestive systems of, ideally, a ruminant. Ruminants include cows, goats, or deer. Our class is using materials gathered from hardware and plumbing stores in Juneau to build a small generator in our classroom. When we started this project, I thought I could find goat manure in Juneau, but I have not been successful. So, Governor Palin, someone suggested that I turn to you.

Since you are from the Mat-Su valley, a teacher here suggested that you or one of your staff who travel to Juneau might be able to bring me some cow manure from cows near your area for our project. We need at least two gallons, and perhaps more if it were possible. If you or a member of your staff heading to Juneau would be willing to bring this down in a timely manner, we would truly appreciate it. I also thought you might have fun being involved in a fun, hands-on (using gloves, of course) science activity with first graders.

I would guess this would be an unusual request for a governor. Yet, you seem to be the type of governor that does not let tradition get in the way of rolling up your sleeves and getting the job done. Therefore, I thought I'd give it a chance and contact you.

Please let me know if you would be willing to help us on this project. I, and my nineteen first graders, appreciate any consideration you can give this request. If you are NOT interested,

knowing that would also be helpful.

Kind regards,

Fred Hiltner

Harborview Elementary

Juneau, Alaska

(907) 463-1875

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

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Sent: Thu Oct 04 18:49:40 2007
Subject: RE: Council

The ACES Hockey event is for Thursday, 10.11.07 at which time you will be flying back from New York. Janice

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Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:46 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Council

Also. Will aces hockey work next week?

----- Original Message -----

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To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Sent: Thu Oct 04 18:43:49 2007

Subject: RE: Council

Governor, I will let Commissioner Campbell know of this right away. Thank you, Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 6:41 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'

Subject: Council

J-pls tell campbell cant squeeze in natl guard trip day before sp sess.

Mike- need to talk about recent public HESS comments- not good. And concerns from Health Care Council members.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 2:33 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fw: Hub

- Awesome place. If you hear of potential funding sources send them to Juneau Christian Center's Hub.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 5 Oct 2007 22:29:21

To: "Karleen Jackson" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>, "Anna Kim" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "K Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Hub

Just toured Juneau's HUB... what an awesome place for teens this will be! Said I'd do all I could to help find funds (they need \$500g more to open), esp since I vetoed state funds for it - bc of the church relationship.

If we get a chance to put a plug in for the HUB with Rasmussen or other funders, let's do so. Thanks

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 10:00 AM
To: fnhcm@uaf.edu
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 8:47 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. heather mcintyre
address: 800 Smythe Street Fairbanks AK 99701
907-452-4540

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin, I am writing to you because I feel so apprehensive that we are going to wake up some morning and hear on the news that the US has started a pre-emptive bombing campaign against Iran...I have contacted Senators Murkowski and Stevens and Congressman Young....but I feel as though my voice is not heard...not heard because I am not a person of influence...but you are...and you are the only person I know who might be willing to stand up and say "STOP THIS RUSH TO WAR WITH IRAN". If every Governor, in every State was to voice their opposition to bombing Iran...then perhaps something could be done before it is too late. Please, please, seriously consider taking a stand on this issue. I have copied the text of an article by Reese Erlich from the October 3rd issue of AlterNet: <http://www.alternet.org/audits/64221/> : "On Sept. 26, by a vote of 76-22, the Senate passed a "sense of the Senate" resolution calling on the United States

to declare Iran's Revolutionary Guards a terrorist organization. The resolution, pushed by former vice presidential candidate Sen. Joe Lieberman, continues the drumbeat for war against Iran. The Bush administration is preparing public opinion for a possible bombing attack on Iran. As with the months prior to the Iraq invasion, major Democratic Party leaders are climbing on board. Half the warships in the U.S. Navy now sit within striking distance of Iran. Bush and Cheney have stepped up their rhetoric accusing Iran of threatening to start a "nuclear holocaust." The British press are predicting that the Bush administration will bomb Iran in the near future. The White House is using the same propaganda techniques to whip up popular opinion against Iran that it used four years ago against Iraq. Here's the real story. Iran has no nuclear weapons and couldn't have them for years. The International Atomic Energy Agency, the U.N. body that was right

ht about rnrnWMDs in Iraq, says it has no pr!

oof of Iranian plans to build nuclear bombs. The IAEA recently reached a binding agreement for Iran to reveal its past nuclear activities and allow full inspection of nuclear power sites. The sophisticated EFPs (explosively formed penetrators) supposedly supplied by Iran to militias in Iraq are easily made in Iraqi machine shops and can be purchased commercially for mining operations. For years Iran has given political, economic and military support to Shia and Kurdish militias, but the administration has never proven that Iran is intentionally targeting U.S. soldiers. Iran does not plan, nor does it have the capability of "wiping Israel off the map." If Iran is such an immediate threat to Israel, why hasn't it already launched a conventional missile attack? Such aggression would invite immediate destruction of Iran by both Israel and the United States. So if Iran hasn't started a conventional attack in 28 years, why would it possibly launch an at

omic attack, even assuming it could develop a few such weapons years from now? The Iranian leaders are angry; they are not crazy. Iran does support Hizbollah in Lebanon and Hamas in Palestine, but such support does not constitute a threat of Jewish annihilation. The U.S. and Israeli governments consciously distort and exaggerate Iran's threat in order to justify immediate military action. For two years the United States has helped splinter groups among Iran's ethnic minorities to blow up buildings, assassinate Revolutionary Guards and kill civilians in an effort to destabilize the Tehran regime. In short, the United States does to Iran what it accuses Iran of doing in Iraq. The hardliners in the Bush administration, led by Cheney, see a dwindling opportunity to bomb Iran before Bush leaves office. They hope to launch a massive bombing campaign which will so weaken Tehran that the regime will fall and Iranians will see the United States as their savior. Does

this sound the faintest bit familiar?

In reality, a U.S. attack would be disastrous. Iran could close the Strait of Hormuz, through which 25 percent of the world's oil supplies pass. Oil prices would skyrocket. Iran could encourage Hizbollah to launch missiles into Israel. Muslims would hold demonstrations in Europe, the Middle East and Asia. Iran could mobilize that anger and encourage Shiite parties in Iraq to attack U.S. troops. In a truly nightmare scenario, Iran could encourage terrorist attacks inside the United States and in allied countries. When I interviewed Syria's President Bashar al-Asad in 2006, he said, "If you do a military strike, you will have chaos. It's very dangerous." The people of Iran, leading democracy advocates and even conservative Iranian-American exile groups oppose an attack. They understand that U.S. bombs falling on Tehran will only rally people behind the current government. In an open letter to the United Nations, former political prisoner and Iranian

opposition leader Akbar Ganji wrote, "Even speaking about the possibility of a military attack on Iran makes things extremely difficult for human rights and pro-democracy activists in Iran. No Iranian wants to see what happened to Iraq or Afghanistan repeated in Iran." I don't know with certainty if the United States will attack Iran. It is possible that the Bush administration is ratcheting up militaristic rhetoric in order to intimidate European allies into tightening economic sanctions against Iran. And the decision whether to bomb Iran depends, in part, on actions by the American people. Now is the time to let your national and local politicians know that we don't need another human disaster in the Middle East. Reese Erlich is author of the new book *The Iran Agenda: the Real Story of U.S. Policy and the Middle East Crisis*. Sincerely, Heather McIntyre

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 9:59 AM
To: akrljordan@hotmail.com
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2007 11:22 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Ronald Jordan

address: 8170 Woodgreen Cir. Anchorage AK 99518
907-345-2755

MESSAGE:

When you took office you said in a speech "Grow More Moose". When is that going to happen? ADF & G in Game unit 20 are hunting cows and calves. Why? Why not transplant them to Unit 5 which needs them. or transplant the orphan calves left over from a auto accident in Anchorage, Fairbanks or other locations. ADF & G for the past several years have been wasting Alaskas wildlife resources. I would like to see our managment in our wildlife resources changed. It ADF & G needs to manage wildlife not the people. Thank You Ronald Jordan Anchorage Alaska

akrljordan@hotmail.com

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From: Frank Bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 8:21 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Can i get a reachable # for Rhonda mcbride?

We'll do it.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 05 Oct 2007 08:10:45

To:ftb907@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Can i get a reachable # for Rhonda mcbride?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 8:09 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA)
Subject: Re:

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From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 05 Oct 2007 07:59:50

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re:

Nah, he has a young one in anc too. I called and gave him a hard time after the news last night. I said, "aren't you still trying to recover from the last time you didn't keep your mouth shut?" He was ingracious of course,

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Sent: Fri Oct 05 07:35:37 2007

Subject: Re:

Between being called McCarthy, and back in the day all of us called Communists... well sheesh!

Maybe Jay's missing his little lady and feels frustrated lately. I'll have to keep him away from Bristol.

The girls and I are in windy Juneau today!

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Oct 4, 2007 10:12 PM

Subject:

Holy cow! We get home and the first thing we see is ramras on tv. We just ran into him in the airport too and he was nice as pie. I'm not impressed! That's me tho...

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Also, any trusted AFN leaders whom you guys could help me vet her name - Frank would you call Trefon tell him it's confidential tho. Any of the native corp prez's like margie brown whom can be trusted and confidential?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 7:33 AM
To: Katz; John W (GOV); Greene; Ben A (DNR); Rutherford; Martha K (DNR); Lefebvre; Richard A (DNR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Bates; Randall W (DNR)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Polar Bears/Oil Development

I agree and thanks for the info John.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "John. Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Thu, 04 Oct 2007 10:30:13

To: "Ben Greene" <ben.greene@alaska.gov>, "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Dick Lefebvre" <richard.lefebvre@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Randy Bates" <randy_bates@dnr.state.ak.us>

Cc: "Joseph Balash" <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>, "Michael Tibbles" <michael_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Polar Bears/Oil Development

I thought that you might want to see the letters below, together with my reaction, concerning the effect of a polar bear listing on North Slope oil development.

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P.S.

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Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 10/4/2007 at 8:05 AM, in message <47049EA3.CD3B.0090.3@ALASKADC.org>, John Katz wrote:

Thanks for forwarding Congressman Inslee's letters. It's interesting to note that, despite all available evidence to the contrary, Inslee wants to foreclose oil and gas development pending further USFWS action. I've also been concerned that the USGS studies would lead to calls for an endangered determination.

Is it worth circulating a "Dear Colleague" letter pointing out previous statements by Secretary Kempthorne and the USFWS that neither subsistence use nor oil and gas development appears to be a causal factor in the loss of critical habitat?

>>> On 10/3/2007 at 5:41 PM, in message <F73D529D0F6FBF4EA9DEB54ED10BE00B574426@HRM09.US.House.gov>, "Kennedy, Kevin V." <Kevin.V.Kennedy@mail.house.gov> wrote:

FYI!!!

From: Osborne, Beth

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2007 3:24 PM

To: Dear Colleague

Subject: Dear Colleague; Environment; Polar Bear Listing

Deadline: COB October 4

October 2, 2007

Sea Ice Reductions will Result in a 2/3rds Loss of Polar Bears by 2050, says USGS

Join Rep. Inslee in Requesting "Endangered" Status

Dear Colleague:

The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) has concluded that polar bears will almost certainly disappear entirely from Alaska by the middle of this century, and that by that time, we will have lost fully two-thirds of the world's polar bears. The new findings indicate that the polar bear should be protected as "endangered" under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) because they are in danger of extinction in most of their range. I hope you will join me in sending the below public comment to Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS).

Early this year, FWS proposed to list the polar bear as "threatened" under the Endangered Species Act and also directed the USGS to contribute projections on polar bear populations as they related to sea-ice habitat in the Arctic before FWS' final ruling. The nine USGS reports give us a better understanding of how melting sea-ice affects polar bears and show a more precarious future for the species than previously estimated.

While the conclusions of the USGS reports are cause for immediate concern and actions to protect polar bears, they are not cause for despair. The studies focused on the "business as usual" Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change ("IPCC") scenario of future emissions, in which atmospheric carbon dioxide concentrations are assumed to reach 717 parts per million by 2100. The studies did not consider a scenario in which greenhouse gas emissions are capped at a much lower level. Stated simply, "business as usual" emissions will drive polar bears to extinction with near certainty, but it is not too late to preserve them if we act now.

Listing the polar bear as endangered under the ESA could provide clear benefits to the species. The ESA is one of the United States' most successful environmental laws and more than 98 percent of the species listed under the ESA still are alive today. Please join me in commenting on these new studies, and urging the service to list the polar bear as endangered under ESA. To sign on, please contact Beth Osborne at <<mailto:beth.osborne@mail.house.gov>> beth.osborne@mail.house.gov or at 5-6311 by COB October 4, 2007.

Sincerely,

/s/

JAY INSLEE

Member of Congress

October 5, 2007

Ms. Rosa Meehan

Supervisor

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Polar Bear Project Leader

Marine Mammals Management Office

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

1011 East Tudor Road

Anchorage, Alaska 99503

RE: Comments on the Proposal to List the Polar Bear as a Threatened Species (72 Fed. Reg. 53749-53751)

Dear Dr. Meehan:

The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) has generated new scientific models which, under current conditions, suggest an even more precarious future for polar bears since the initial filing to list the polar bear as a threatened species under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) in 2005 and the Fish and Wildlife Service's (FWS) proposal to list the polar bear as threatened in January. The nine reports by scientists at USGS this month show that the polar bear is in danger of extinction in most of its range. We believe that these new findings indicate that the polar bear should be listed as endangered under ESA.

We appreciate that in considering a final rule, the service requested that the USGS investigate a number of scientific questions relating to polar bears and their sea ice habitat. The USGS conducted these investigations using existing and new observational data and scientific models. Based on this substantial and rigorous effort, as documented in the nine new reports, the USGS has significantly advanced the understanding of sea ice loss and its implications for polar bears.

The USGS has concluded that polar bears will almost certainly disappear entirely from Alaska by the middle of this century, and that we will have lost fully two-thirds of the world's polar bears by this time. The good news is that polar bears may survive in the high Canadian archipelago and portions of Northwest Greenland through the end of this century. However, the risk of extinction for these polar bear populations by the end of the century is still unacceptably high: over 40 percent in the archipelago over 70 percent in Northwest Greenland, under sea ice conditions forecast by the climate models used in the study.

Ominously, new observational data from this summer show that the actual decline of Arctic sea ice, on which polar bears depend, is underestimated by all currently available models.

This suggests that these are conservative estimates and that Polar Bear habitat will likely decline even more quickly than the models project.

The ESA defines an endangered species as "any species which is in danger of extinction throughout all or a significant portion of its range" and a threatened species as "any species which is likely to become an endangered species within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its range." Under the current circumstances, we believe the polar bear simply must be listed as endangered rangewide.

While the conclusions of the USGS reports are cause for immediate concern and actions to protect polar bears, they are not cause for despair. The USGS study focused on the A1B "business as usual" Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change ("IPCC") scenario of future emissions, in which atmospheric carbon dioxide concentrations are assumed to reach 717 parts per million by 2100. The study did not consider a scenario in which greenhouse gas emissions are capped at a much lower level. Stated simply, "business as usual" emissions will drive polar bears to extinction with near certainty, but it is not too late to preserve them if we act now.

Given the perilous status of polar bears in Alaska, we also must maximize the protection of their habitat. We are concerned that the Department of the Interior is moving forward with five lease sales in the Beaufort and Chukchi Seas, in polar bear habitat, through its Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Oil and Gas Drilling Program for 2007-2012. We believe that any further commitments to fossil fuel development in polar bear habitat should be put on hold until the Fish and Wildlife Service has issued a final listing determination for the polar bear under the ESA.

Thank you for providing us with the opportunity to comment on the new data. As you know, the best available science on polar bears and their sea-ice habitat has improved since the initial petition was filed two years ago and there is ever-increasing evidence that the continued existence of the polar bear is endangered. We strongly urge you in this ruling

to continue to adhere to the ESA's mandate to consider solely the best available scientific evidence and not to allow politics to enter this process. We appreciate your serious attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Kevin V. Kennedy

Legislative Assistant

The Honorable Don Young

Congressman for All Alaska

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 7:23 AM
To: Katz; John W (GOV)
Cc: Crome; Cora J (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Law of the Sea/Latest Developments

Thanks John. Has our delegation shown more enthusiasm for ratification?

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-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 5 Oct 2007 08:46:13

To: "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Cora Crome" <cora_crome@gov.state.ak.us>, "Mike Nizich" <mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us>, "Mike Tibbles" <michael_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>, "Sam Bishop" <sbishop@ALASKADC.org>, "Talis Colberg" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Subject: Law of the Sea/Latest Developments

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 10:05 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA)
Subject: Re: Palmer wins by 10!!!

WELL- I was tempted!!! But what could I say - the Warriors didn't produce and I'll just pretend it didn't really happen! :). So we can bond over jdhs taking it all the way!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 05 Oct 2007 22:02:55

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Palmer wins by 10!!!

Fyi, they beat your warriors. You're hard to get riled up. I'm w you, jdhs is going all the way this year.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Sent: Fri Oct 05 22:00:27 2007

Subject: Re: Palmer wins by 10!!!

Very cool. We just had jdhs fball team over for dinner. It was fun- my \$ is on them winning it all this year.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Oct 5, 2007 9:15 PM

Subject: Palmer wins by 10!!!

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Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 10:00 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA)
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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 9:33 AM
To: Katz; John W (GOV)
Cc: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Request for your help

John,

In our call today I'd like to talk about the request I have from the NLGA regarding contacting our congressional delegation on the National Defense Authorization Act. Specifically, the NLGA passed a resolution urging Congress to repeal Section 1076 of the Act and to open a dialogue with governors regarding how best to enhance the effectiveness of the Guard (under the command of our governor) in responding to domestic disasters and emergencies. I believe the governor has already communicated with Congress on this and I would like to do so as well, assuming alignment with the governor's position. Supposedly, the standing committees are working in conference now on the bill. Look forward to the call.

Sean

From: Dubie, Brian [mailto:Brian.Dubie@state.vt.us]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 8:26 AM
Subject: Request for your help

Dear Lt. Governor,

I'm writing to you to ask for your help.

Could you please contact your Congressional delegation today, concerning Section 1076 of the National Defense Authorization Act?

**RESOLUTION REGARDING URGED CHANGE TO
THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT**

As you may recall, at the NLGA's Winter Meeting last March, we passed the bi-partisan resolution cited above, with Lt. Gov. John Bohlinger (MT), Lt. Gov. Michael Fedele (CT), Lt. Gov. Elizabeth Roberts (RI), Lt Gov Rick Sheehy (NB), Lt Gov Patty Judge (IO), Lt Gov Mark Parkinson (KS) and Lt Gov Anthony Brown (MD) all joining with me as co-sponsors.

I have attached the resolution for your review.

Senate and House Armed Services Committees are working in conference right now on this bill.

To make certain that NLGA's strong recommendations concerning a governor's authority over the Guard and Reserves are reflected in the final legislation, PLEASE JOIN ME IN FORWARDING THE

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RESOLUTION (attached) TO YOUR US SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN TODAY.

If you would like to discuss the resolution or the federal legislation, please feel free to call me at 802-828-2226.

Thank you,

Brian

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Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 5:02 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'Privileged or Person'
Subject: Dinner for you and Todd with me and Sandy?

Governor,

Sandy and I want to invite you and Todd to join us for dinner in our home sometime across the next couple of weeks. I'd like the chance for the four of us to think together on Alaska's future, if possible. It would be a simple, informal meal and I'd email Todd to ask him, as well, but don't have his address in my contacts. Perhaps you could forward to him.

We now live close to Jewel Lake Rd. and Raspberry so we're close to the airport if needed. Let me know if I can get in touch with Janice to work on scheduling. Thank you so much.

Sean

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2007 4:46 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Cc: Talis Colberg; Sam Bishop; Cora Crome; Michael Tibbles; Mike Nizich
Subject: Law of the Sea/Latest Developments

Per your request for periodic updates, below is a good summary of recent developments in the Senate concerning the Convention on the Law of the Sea.

As you will note, there appears to be overwhelming support on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and among knowledgeable experts for Senate ratification. There are several reasons for this, not the least of which is the issue discussed in your recent correspondence to Alaska's Senators; that is, the Convention would enhance the ability of the US to assert claims to territory beneath the Arctic Ocean.

Unless there is some major development, I probably won't provide any additional updates unless and until Senate ratification occurs.

Law of the Sea

Senate Foreign Relations Members Pledge

Action on United Nations Law of Sea Treaty

U.S. ratification of the United Nations' Law of the Sea treaty drew support from key members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee at a hearing Oct. 4.

Sen. Robert Menendez (D-N.J.) said he would push for the international treaty that governs ocean protection to be brought to the Senate floor as quickly as possible.

Menendez, who heads the Foreign Relations Subcommittee on International Development and Foreign Assistance, Economic Affairs, chaired the full committee meeting in the absence of Sen. Joseph Biden (D-Del.).

It was the second hearing the committee has held on the U.N. Convention on the Law of the Sea, following a Sept. 27 hearing at which Deputy Secretary of State John Negroponte and others testified.

Sen. Richard Lugar (Ind.), the committee's ranking Republican, also lent his support to the treaty.

During the hearing, Lugar said he does not share the sentiments of the treaty's critics, which include Sen. David Vitter (R-La.), who has said the treaty would allow U.S. military vessels to be governed by an international body.

Lugar, however, warned that the Senate's failure to ratify the treaty is tantamount to "allowing decisions that will affect our Navy, our ship operators, our off-shore industries, and other

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maritime interests to be made without U.S. representation."

No Vote Scheduled

Following the Oct. 4 hearing, Olivia Alair, a Biden spokeswoman, told BNA that the next step for the committee is to vote on the treaty in a business meeting, though she added "one has not been scheduled yet." Biden expressed his support for ratification at the earlier hearing.

Committee Democrats convened the hearing to examine whether the treaty that governs how commercial and military ships conduct themselves on the open seas would protect the environment, while maintaining United States sovereignty.

The Law of the Sea treaty, which took effect in 1994, is the first comprehensive, enforceable international environmental law covering all forms of marine pollution (land-based, atmospheric, ship-borne, and originating from activities on the seabed).

Menendez reminded the witnesses and the panel that the Senate has failed to ratify the treaty, which the Bush administration supports and 155 countries, including Russia and China, have adopted.

Lugar reminded the panelists and the committee that the treaty will continue to form the basis of maritime law regardless of whether the United States is a party. "Consequently, the United States cannot insulate itself from the Convention merely by declining to ratify," he said in written testimony.

Lugar and Menendez dismissed those critics for creating false impressions about the treaty's impacts on U.S. sovereignty.

Biden too dismissed the critics in his Sept. 27 statement. At the time, Biden emphasized that the treaty gives the United States control over its natural resources out to 200 miles, including those on the continental shelf.

"No nation may fish or exploit the minerals of this area without the permission of the United States," Biden said. "Far from threatening our sovereignty, the Convention allows us to secure and extend our sovereign rights."

Critics Testify

Despite their condemnation, Fred Smith, president of the Competitive Enterprise Institute, in testimony Oct. 4 described the U.N. treaty as "fatally flawed"


Frank F. Gaffney Jr., president of the Washington, D.C.-based Center for Security Policy, also testified that ratification of the treaty would prove inconsistent with U.S. national security.

Countering Gaffney and Smith were letters of support sent Sept. 24 to Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid (D-Nev.) and Minority Leader Sen. Mitch McConnell (R-Kent.) by five former secretaries of state—Madeline Albright, James Baker, Alexander Haig, Colin Powell, and George Shultz.

Negroponete also testified Sept. 27 that President Bush favors the treaty.

"Joining will serve the national security interests of the United States, secure U.S. sovereign rights over extensive marine areas, promote U.S. interests in the environmental health of the oceans, and give the United States a seat at the table when the rights essential to our interests are debated and interpreted," said Negroponete, citing a speech the president gave

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A U.N. report on oceans in June noted the rapid deterioration of oceans and called for "urgent action." In the report, U.N. General Secretary Ban Ki-Moon also urged the United States to ratify the treaty.

Likewise, the Joint Ocean Commission Initiative has been pressuring the Senate to ratify the treaty, as part of a package of reforms to improve the environmental health of the oceans and marine ecosystems surrounding the United States. The initiative is a collaboration between the U.S. Commission on Ocean Policy and the privately funded Pew Oceans Commission.

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By Amena H. Saiyid

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .